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This work is dedicated in filial respect to the memory of Dr. John Collins, the father of the Author, who practiced his profession among the people whose names are recorded in this record, for nearly twenty-five years, and whose living descendants still hold his memory in grateful recollection, after a lapse of forty-nine years since he ceased his labors and went to rest among those who were his companions and patrons in life.

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INTRODUCTION

The town of Spafford, one of the most picturesque in the County of Onondaga, is about ten miles in length from north to south, and about four miles in width from east to west. Its surface consists of high ridge land bounded on the west by Skaneateles Lake, and on the east by Otisco Lake and Valley, descending abruptly on either side to these lakes and valley, and gradually declining northerly from the summit at Ripley Hill, situate near the southern boundary of the town between this and the town of Scott, Cortland County.

Ripley Hill is 1,122 feet above Skaneateles Lake, and 1,982 feet above tide water; and from it can be seen in fair weather, not only lands in the towns of Skaneateles and Marcellus, which bound the town on the north, but the surrounding country for twenty to thirty miles distant.

Cold Brook, which flows to the south through a beautiful valley bearing its name, and the Inlet to Otisco Lake, are the principal streams; but beyond the fact of their perennial character, and that they mark the course of two deep and beautiful valleys, they are not worthy of mention.

The soil is a sandy gravelly loam, and in early times was covered by a dense growth of maple, beech and linden trees on the uplands, interspersed with hickory, chestnut, pine and hemlock trees in the deep valleys, and especially along the eastern border of Skaneateles Lake.

Spafford boasts of no valuable mineral products within its borders, yet there is a weak spring of salt water, and indications of the presence of natural gas along the western shore of Otisco Lake. A spring of sulphur water exists near Borodino on the eastern shore of Skaneateles Lake, and an outcropping of the Hamilton group of limestone appears at different places in the southern portion of the town. None of these natural products, however, have been developed or turned into practical use.

No earthworks or other marked indications of aboriginal occupation of the lands in this town have been discovered, yet tradition says that at one time there was an Indian Encampment or settlement near Borodino, and different Indian implements found in that vicinity, and burnt and blackened soil discovered near that village indicates Indian occupation at some remote period at that place. The distance between the two lakes is not very great, and an early Indian trail from lake to lake ran through this locality, rendering more than probable the truth of this tradition, and that in aboriginal times these early peoples not only had knowledge of these two beautiful lakes, but made abundant use of the excellent fish with which they were so bountifully supplied.

Town and County Organizations

The first white settler within the present limits of the town of Spafford was Gilbert Palmer, who has been credited with taking up his abode in the southwest part of lot 76, Marcellus, in the Spring of 1794, but in the absence of this statement made by Clark, in his history of the County of Onondaga published in 1849, which we assume was based upon substantial grounds, we would put his occupation at least one year earlier, as his deed from Thomas Ostrander, the original soldier who drew this lot for services performed by him in the Revolution, is dated September 21st, 1792. To our mind it is more than probable that his occupation was earlier than the date given by Clark.

With the settlement of Gilbert Palmer begins the true history of this town, yet we trust that a brief statement of the early transactions affecting the town and county organization will be interesting.

The first division of the Province of New York into dependencies or shires was by a law passed by the "Chief Commander, Council and Representatives" November 1, 1683, ratified by the "Board of Trade," October 17, 1684, by which the present State of New York was divided into twelve Counties: New York, Westchester, Ulster, Albany, Dutchess, Orange, Richmond, Kings, Queens, Suffolk, Dukes and Cornwall. The boundaries of the County of Albany are described as follows: "The County of Albany to conteyne the town of Albany, the Manor of Renslaerwyck, Schonecheda, and all the villages, neighborhoods and Christian Plantacons on the east side of Hudson's River from Roeloffe Jansens Creek; and on the west side from Sawyers Creek to the utmost end of Sarraghtoga."

Owing to a change made in the government of the Province of New York following the usurpation of Jacob Leister as Colonial Governor, commonly called the Revolution of 1690, a law was passed by the "Governor, Council and

Assembly," October 1, 1691, in effect re-enacting the former law of 1683, and at least so far as the County of Albany was concerned the boundaries of that shire remained the same. The boundaries of that county were not very definite in either act, but subsequent statutes treated them as covering a much larger area than a casual perusal of the wording of these enactments would seem to warrant.

By an act passed March 12, 1772, by the "Governor, Council and General Assembly" the County of Albany was divided into three counties: Albany, Tryon and Charlotte. The County of Tryon in substance is described as including within its bounds all that part of the Province of New York lying west of a line drawn north and south just west of the Schoharie Patent.

By a separate act passed March 24, 1772, at the same session by the "Colonial Governor, Council and General Assembly" the county of Tryon was divided into five towns or districts: Mohawk, Stone Arabia, Canajoharie, German Flatts and Kingsland. The latter was bounded in substance as follows: On the north by the Mohawk River — on the east by a north and south line drawn through Little Falls, — and on the south and west by the south and west colony lines.

By an act of the Colonial Legislature passed March 8, 1773, the names of three of the towns or districts named in the act of March 24, 1772, were changed as follows: Stone Arabia district was changed to Palatine district; German Flatts district was changed to Kingsland; and Kingsland was changed to German Flatts district; the latter only affecting the territory included within the present boundaries of the County of Onondaga. These are all the enactments under the Colonial period making division of the Province of New York affecting lands in the present County of Onondaga.

The first Constitution of the State of New York, adopted at Kingston, N. Y., April 20, 1777, during the progress of the War of the American Revolution, recognized the existing counties of the State as follows: New York, Albany, Dutchess, Westchester, Ulster, Suffolk, Queens, Orange, Kings, Richmond, Tryon, Charlotte, Cumberland and Gloucester, fourteen in all; the two latter are now a part of the present State of Vermont.

By an act of the New York Legislature passed April 2, 1784, the name of the County of Tryon, a name that had become odious by acts of the Tory Colonial Governor of that name, was changed to Montgomery; and by a subsequent act passed March 7, 1788, the boundaries of that county were described as follows: "And the County of Montgomery to contain all that part of the State bounded easterly by the Counties of Ulster, Albany, Washington (formerly Charlotte) and Clinton—southerly by the State of Pennsylvania—and westerly and northerly by the west and north bounds of the State."

By an act of the same date the State was re-divided into towns, and the town of Whitestown created, which contained within its limits the whole of the Military Tract and certain lands east thereof extending below Utica, and was named in honor of Judge White, the first white settler in the present village bearing his name, four miles west of the City of Utica.

On February 16, 1791, an act was passed dividing the County of Montgomery into four counties: Tioga, Otsego, Montgomery and Herkimer; the western part of the State having been previously taken from Montgomery and created into a separate county called Ontario. The County of Herkimer in this division was briefly described as follows: On the east by the Counties of Clinton, Washington and Saratoga—on the south by Montgomery and Tioga—on the west by Ontario—and on the north by the north bounds of the State.

The next year, April 10, 1792, Whitestown was divided and a new town created called Mexico, which included within its limits all of the Military Tract lying east of the west bounds of the townships of Homer, Tully, Marcellus, Camillus and Hannibal.

On the 5th day of March, 1794, an act of the Legislature was passed creating the County of Onondaga from the County of Herkimer. It was made co-extensive with the Military Tract, and was divided into eleven civil towns: Homer, Pompey, Manlius, Lysander, Marcellus, Ulysses, Milton, Scipio, Aurelius, Ovid and Romulus. The town of Pompey was described as follows: "All that part of said County comprehending the townships of Pompey, Tully and Fabius, together with that part of the lands called the

Onondaga Reservation bounded northerly by the road called the Genesee Road, and westerly by the Onondaga Creek"; and the town of Marcellus was described as: "All that part of said county comprehending the townships of Camillus and Marcellus, together with all the residue of the Onondaga Reservation, and the residue of the several lands lying south west of the said Salt Lake."

From time to time thereafter, by several acts of the Legislature, the County of Onondaga as then created was subdivided, and other counties taken therefrom until it was finally cut down to its present limits, but without change of the county organization so far as its present territory is concerned.

On the 7th day of April, 1801, the County of Onondaga, as *then* diminished in size, was re-divided into eight civil towns: Solon, Homer, Fabius, Onondaga, Pompey, Manlius, Lysander, Camillus and Marcellus. The town of Fabius contained within its limits the townships of Fabius and Tully, and all that part of the township of Semphronius lying east of Skaneateles Lake; and the town of Marcellus was reduced in size to the limits of the township of that name.

On the 4th day of April, 1803, the civil town of Fabius, and all that part of the township of Tully within the County of Onondaga, and all that part of Semphronius east of Skaneateles Lake, was created a civil town called Tully.

By an act of the Legislature passed April 8, 1811, a new town was created as follows: "That from and after the first Tuesday in April next all that part of the town of Tully lying west of a line beginning at the north west corner of Lot No. 25, and running south to the south line of said town, be and hereby is erected into a separate town by the name of Spafford." The name of this town was given in honor of Hon. Horatio Gates Spafford, the author of the first Gazetteer of the State of New York. At this point it seems proper to state that Mr. Spafford, in return for the compliment paid him, donated to the town its first blank book for the preservation of its records, and also a fair sized library for the use of its inhabitants; the record book is still preserved in the custody of the Town Clerk, but the library has long since been scattered and lost.

The town of Otisco was created prior to the town of Spafford and in part was taken from Tully.

Since 1811 several changes have been made in the northern boundary of the town of Spafford, by adding to and taking from the town territory originally from the township of Marcellus. These changes occurred from 1830 to 1842 inclusive, and during that period the people of this and the adjoining towns of Marcellus and Skaneateles, were greatly exercised and excited over the territorial question.

In the year 1830 the town of Skaneateles was formed from the western part of the town of Marcellus, and in the same act, "All that part of the town of Marcellus lying south and east of a line beginning on the north line of Lot No. 71 at the north west corner of the town of Otisco and running down the center of the Outlet of Otisco Lake to the north line of Lot No. 62; thence west on the north line of Lots Nos. 61, 62 and 60; thence in a straight line west across Lot No. 59 to the center of Skaneateles Lake; thence southerly along the center of said lake to the south line of Marcellus, shall be annexed to and form a part of the town of Spafford."

This act engendered much bitter feeling among certain influential citizens residing within the limits of that part of the town of Marcellus, thus summarily set off to the town of Spafford; and the various town meetings thereafter were flooded with resolutions to be offered for passage in the different sessions of the Legislature; and the latter body was importuned and petitioned from time to time by the discontents to be restored to the town of Marcellus or set off to the town of Skaneateles.

The town books show a continuous and apparently acrimonious strife which resulted in the passage of the act of March 18th, 1840, setting off to the towns of Marcellus and Skaneateles all that part of the town of Spafford lying north of the south lines of Lots Nos. 69, 70 and 71, Marcellus.

This act, if anything, created more dissatisfaction than the prior one; so on March 30th, 1842, the Legislature passed an act compromising the matter by which Lots 70, 71, 68 and 69, Marcellus, were re-annexed to the town of Spafford. This seemed to give full satisfaction, and the

bounds of the town have remained the same ever since, and from that time forward there has been no change in town or county organization affecting the town of Spafford.

It will be noticed that the act of 1830, above referred to, fixes the western boundary of that portion of the town taken from Marcellus as the center of Skaneateles Lake, a fact which would have been the case by law in the absence of anything said on the subject; but the reader's attention is also called to the notable exception to this rule of law and custom made by the Revised Statutes of the State of New York as to the other portion of the town.

By these statutes the western boundary of this portion of the County of Onondaga, and by operation of the law the western boundary of the Tully end of the town of Spafford, is along the westerly shore of Skaneateles Lake. The Revised Statutes on this subject reads as follows: "from a point in the south bounds of the township of Marcellus southward along the westerly shore of Skaneateles Lake until it strikes the west boundary of the county of Cortland, and thence northerly and easterly along the latter county lines, &c." These are facts not only of interest to the general reader, but of great importance as affecting jurisdiction in civil and criminal proceedings.

MILITARY TRACT.

During the period of the American Revolution the military forces of the Colony of New York were divided into four classes: The Militia, Minute Men, The Levies, and The Line.

The Militia, included all able bodied men residing within the Colony who were between the ages of sixteen and sixty, not specifically exempt by law.

Minute Men, were taken from the Militia by allotment or volunteering, and were specially drilled, equipped and kept in readiness for any emergency. This organization, formed under a resolution of the Provincial Congress of this Colony August 22, 1775, was discontinued about a year afterwards by a like resolution adopted June 5, 1776.

The Levies, were drafts from the Militia, called into service on special occasions, and could be required to per-

form duty during the entire period of their enlistment outside the Colony.

The Line, consisted of four regiments of Infantry, to which were sometimes attached a company of cavalry, a regiment of Artillery, and a corps of Sappers and Miners. These were turned over to the General Government as a part of the Continental Establishment, and were subject to the orders of General George Washington.

Every member of these several forces was by law required to keep himself fully armed and equipped, and as the people of this Colony had always been surrounded by wild beasts, and the still more treacherous and sometimes hostile bands of American Indians, most of the men composing these forces were accustomed to handling fire arms and were expert marksmen in the use of the same. What was most needed to fit these men for efficient soldiers was military training and such discipline as would render them obedient to orders of their superior officers; this took much time and instruction to accomplish.

The Line was organized by enlistment from the Militia in 1775 and turned over to the Continental Establishment, and as the term of service of these men was at first so short, sometimes for only a few months and never to exceed a year, the efficiency of this branch of service was poor in comparison with the trained soldiers employed in the British Army, against whom they were to contend.

The superiority of their marksmanship was not always an offset for the superior discipline of the enemy. This early became apparent, and on September 30th, 1776, a letter was received by the Provincial Congress of this Colony from John Hancock, President of the Continental Congress, enclosing resolutions of that body. In that letter he says: "You will perceive by the enclosed resolutions, that Congress has come to the determination to augment our Army and to engage troops to serve during the continuance of the war. The many ill consequences arising from a short and limited enlistment of troops are too obvious to be mentioned. In general, give me leave to observe, that to make men acquainted with the duties of a soldier requires time, and to bring them under proper subordination and discipline not only requires time, but has always been a work of much difficulty."

"As the troops now in service belong to the several States they will be considered as a part of their quota in the American Army. You will please take such steps as you judge necessary to ascertain what number of troops, as well as what officers, will engage to serve during the war." * * * * *

The following are a part of the resolutions referred to, viz:

"Congress, Sept. 16, 1776," Resolved, That eighty eight battalions be enlisted as soon as possible to serve during the present war, and that each state furnish their respective quotas in the following proportions, viz.:

New Hampshire	3 Battalions
Massachusetts Bay	15 Battalions
Rhode Island	2 Battalions
Connecticut	8 Battalions
New York	4 Battalions
New Jersey	4 Battalions
Pennsylvania	12 Battalions
Delaware	1 Battalion
Maryland	8 Battalions
Virginia	15 Battalions
North Carolina	9 Battalions
South Carolina	6 Battalions
Georgia	1 Battalion

"That twenty dollars be given as a bounty to each-non-commissioned officer and private soldier who shall enlist to serve during the present war, unless sooner discharged by Congress.

"That Congress make provision for granting lands in the following proportions, to the officers and soldiers who shall engage in the service and continue therein to the close of the war, or until discharged by Congress, and representatives of such officers and soldiers as shall be slain by the enemy. Such lands to be provided by the United States, and whatever expense shall be necessary to provide such lands, the said expense shall be paid and borne by the States in the same proportion as other expenses of the war, viz:

To a Colonel	500 acres.
To a Lieut. Colonel	450 acres.
To a Major	400 acres.

To a Captain	300 acres.
To a Lieutenant	200 acres.
To an Ensign	150 acres.
To each Non Commissioned Officer and Soldier	100 acres."

By a subsequent act of Congress passed August 12th, 1780, there was given "To a Major General 1100 acres, and to a Brig. General 850 Acres."

In pursuance of this generous offer of the General Government many officers and men then in the Line from this Colony re-enlisted, and some of those entering this service afterwards enlisted for the war; so when peace was declared there were many who had been members of the Continental Army for periods ranging from four to seven years. The First and Second Infantry, under Colonels Goose Van Schaick and Philip Van Cortland, Col. John Lamb's Artillery regiment and the Corps of Sappers and Miners, had a more continuous service than other Continental organizations from this Colony, and eventually had within their ranks a large proportion of these long term service men, and even some of those who had originally entered the service in other Continental organizations. By reason of this fact, and the expressed intention of these organizations to remain on frontier duty for the further period of three years, in pursuance of the resolutions of the Provincial Congress adopted March 20, 1771, the Legislature of the State of New York March 27, 1783, enacted, after reciting the resolutions of the Continental Congress above quoted from, as follows:

"Whereas the Legislature of the State are willing not only to take upon themselves to discharge the said engagements of Congress so far as it relates to the Line of this State, but likewise as a gratuity to the said Line and to evince the just sense this Legislature entertains of the patriotism and virtue of the troops of this State serving in the army of the United States:

"Resolved, Therefore that besides the bounty of land as promised as aforesaid, this legislature will by law provide that Major Generals and Brigadier Generals now serving in the Line of the Army of the United States and being citizens of this State, and officers and non-commissioned officers and privates of the two regiments of in-

fantry commanded by Colonels Van Schaick and Van Cortland, such officers of the regiment of Artillery commanded by Colonel Lamb and of the Corps of Sappers and Miners as were when they entered the service inhabitants of this State, such of the non-commissioned officers and privates of said last mentioned corps as are credited to this State as part of the troops thereof, all officers designated by Congress subsequent to the 16th of September, 1776, shall have severally granted to them the following quantities of land, to wit:

To a Major General	5500 acres.
To a Brig. General	4250 acres.
To a Colonel	2500 acres.
To a Lieut. Colonel	2250 acres.
To a Major	2000 acres.
To a Captain and Regimental Surgeon each	1500 acres.
To every Subaltern and Surgeon's Mate	1000 acres.
To every Non-Commissioned Officer and Soldier	500 acres."

Owing to the delay incident to the extinguishment of the Indian title, by Treaty, to the lands desired for distribution under this act, and also the time required to survey and plot the same when acquired, the lands eventually under the act of 1783 were not ballotted for and patents issued until July, 1790. In the meantime the soldiers entitled to these bounty lands became disheartened, discouraged, and an easy prey to speculators, who obtained the warrants for most of these claims for a trifle compared with their true value. Only one soldier receiving bounty lands under the act of 1783 settled on the lands patented to him in the town of Spafford, viz: Henry Wentworth (Winford), Lot 77, Marcellus; and he remained only a few years until he had sold his possessions in parcels to actual settlers.

The Military Tract, as first laid out, consisted of twenty five townships of one hundred lots of a mile square each, and its boundaries were the same as that of the County of Onondaga when first organized under the act of 1794. The lines of lots were drawn east and west and north and south and contained within their limits 640 acres of land; 100

acres in lieu of that given by the United States, 500 acres by the State of New York, and 40 acres for roads.

If the soldier released his claim against the United States he received a patent for the whole lot, otherwise one hundred acres in the south east corner of the lot was reserved, hence came the name: "State's Hundred." The charge of the Government for surveying a lot was forty eight shillings; if this was not paid by the patentee fifty acres was also reserved, known as "Survey Fifty," this could be taken from either corner of the lot excepting the south east. Two lots in each township were reserved for the propagation of the Gospel, and for Schools, and the amount received from the sale of them was devoted to these purposes.

A statement of the services performed by the soldiers who drew lots in the town of Spafford is worthy of mention, but space precludes any recital other than the following, in reference to the recipients of bounty lands in this town:

NAMES OF SOLDIERS DRAWING BOUNTY LANDS IN SPAFFORD.

TOWNSHIP OF TULLY.

Lot 1	Pr. Joseph Sevey, 2nd Co. 1st Regt. Inft. Col. Goose Van Schaick.....	600 acres.
Lot 2	Pr. Joseph Ball, 2nd Regt. Inft., Col. Philip Van Cortland.....	500 acres.
Lot 11	Fifer John Cheery, 2nd Regt. Inft., Col. Philip Van Cortland.....	600 acres.
Lot 12	Sergt. Benjamin Lawrence, 2nd Regt. Inft., Col. Philip Van Cortland.....	600 acres
Lot 12	Gospel and Schools.....	600 acres.
Lot 21	Surgeon Caleb Sweet, 1st Regt. Inft., Col. Goose Van Schaick.....	500 acres.
Lot 22	Pr. Richard Whalling, 1st Regt. Inft., Col. Goose Van Schaick.....	600 acres.
Lot 23	Matross George Allen, 1st Regt. Art., Col. John Lamb.....	600 acres.
Lot 24	Capt. Abraham Livingston, 1st Regt. Inft., Col. James Livingston.....	600 acres.
Lot 31	Gospel and Schools.....	600 acres.

Lot 32	Pr. John Pierson, Regt. Inf., Gen. Moses Hazen's Congress Own.....	500 acres.
Lot 33	Capt. John C. Ten Broeck, 1st Regt. Inft., Col. Goose Van Schaick.....	600 acres.
Lot 34	Pr. Shorter Smith, 2nd Regt. Inft., Col. Peter Van Cortland.....	600 acres.
Lot 41	Pr. John Frederick, 1st Regt. Inf., Col. Goose Van Schaick	600 acres.
Lot 42	Sergt. Elias Wilcox, 1st Regt. Art., Col. John Lamb	500 acres.
Lot 42	Corp. Joseph Smith, 2nd Regt. Inft., Col. Philip Van Cortland.....	500 acres.
Lot 44	Pr. Nathaniel Brock, Regt. Inft., Col. James Livingston	500 acres.

TOWNSHIP OF SEMPRONIUS.

Lot 10	Major Nicholas Fish, 2nd Regt. Inft., Col. Philip Van Cortland.....	600 acres.
Lot 11	Pr. Aaron DeWitt, 1st Regt. Inft., Col. Goose Van Schaick.....	450 acres.
Lot 12	Pr. Daniel Ogden, 1st Regt. Inft., Col. Goose Van Schaick.....	600 acres.
Lot 13	Corp. Solomon Barnes, 1st Regt. Agt., Col. John Lamb.....	600 acres.
Lot 14	Pr. John Tucker, 4th Regt. Inft., Col. Fred Weissenfels	500 acres.
Lot 21	Pr. John Wyatt, 1st Regt. Inft., Col. Goose Van Schaick.....	600 acres.
Lot 23	Pr. Samuel Wheeler, 2nd Regt. Inft., Col. Philip Van Cortland.....	600 acres.
Lot 23	Corp. Cornelius Ammerman, 2nd Regt. Inft., Col. Philip Van Cortland.....	500 acres.

TOWNSHIP OF MARCELLUS.

Lot 68	Surgeon Ebenezer Haveland, 2nd Regt. Inft., Col. Philip Van Cortland.....	500 acres.
Lot 69	Sergt. Daniel Ludlam, 2nd Regt. Inft., Col. Philip Van Cortland.....	500 acres.
Lot 70	Sergt. and Matross Elijah Pierce, 1st Regt. Art., Col. John Lamb.....	600 acres.
Lot 71	Pr. Burdice Campbell, 1st Regt. Inft., Col. Goose Van Schaick.....	500 acres.

Lot 74	Gunner Frederick Dayton, 1st Regt. Agt., Col. John Lamb.....	600 acres.
Lot 75	Fifer John Factor, 2nd Regt. Inf., Col. Philip Van Cortland.....	600 acres.
Lot 76	Second Lieutenant Thomas Ostrander, 3rd Regt. Inft., Col. Peter Gansevoort.....	500 acres.
Lot 77	Fifer Henry Winford, 1st Regt. Inf., Col. Goose Van Schaick.....	500 acres.
Lot 88	Pr. Philip Fields, 2nd Regt. Inft., Col. Philip Van Cortland.....	500 acres.
Lot 89	Pr. Frederick Wybert, 1st Regt. Inft., Col. Goose Van Schaick.....	500 acres.
Lot 90	Sergt. Philip Steves, 2nd Regt. Inft., Col. Philip Van Cortland	600 acres.
Lot 91	Capt. Peter L. Vosburgh, Regt. Inft., Col. James Livingston.....	600 acres.
Lot 96	Fifer Henry Davis, 1st Regt. Art., Col. John Lamb	600 acres.

FIRST SETTLERS.

Under the law granting bounty land to soldiers a settlement had to be made on the land within a limited period subsequent to the date of the patent. As a majority of the claims had been assigned by the soldiers to speculators residing along the Hudson River, who had no intention of making a settlement themselves, when the patents were issued the lands were offered for sale in large quantities and sold to purchasers at prices much below their true value. The consequence was that many persons residing east of the Hudson River in Washington, Saratoga, Van Rensselaer, Columbia and Westchester Counties, came to this town for settlement within a few years after the date of the Patents in July, 1790. The first settlers, however, were not confined to the river counties in this State, many coming direct from Rhode Island, Connecticut, Massachusetts, New Hampshire and Vermont; they were all, however, with very few exceptions, of New England origin.

GILBERT PALMER AND HIS SON JOHN.

The first settler within the present limits of this town

was Gilbert Palmer, who came from Amawalk, Westchester County, New York. Mr. Joshua V. H. Clark, in his excellent history of the County of Onondaga, says he came in the Fall of 1794 and settled on Lot 76, Marcellus. He also says he served for this lot in the War of the Revolution, but as to this we know Mr. Clark is incorrect, as his deed, which is dated September 21, 1792, is from Lieutenant Thomas Ostrander, the soldier who drew this lot for services which he performed in the New York Line, during that war. Mr. Palmer did not purchase the State's Hundred Acres on that lot, as it was excepted from the deed. It is presumed from the fact that Mr. Palmer is not joined by a wife, in any of his seven or eight conveyances made from his original purchase, that he was a widower during his residence in this town.

Mr. Clark relates the following pathetic incident in reference to Mr. Palmer and his son John:

“In the Fall of the year 1794, soon after his arrival, Mr. Palmer and his son, a youth of some sixteen years of age, went into the woods chopping for the purpose of making a clearing. Some time in the afternoon they felled a tree, and as it struck the ground it bounded, swung around and caught the young man under it. The father at once mounted the log, cut it off, rolled it over and liberated the son. Upon examination one of his lower limbs was found to be badly crushed and mangled. He thereupon carried the youth to his log hut close at hand, and with all possible diligence made haste to his nearest neighbors, some three or four miles distant, desiring them to go and minister to his son's necessities, while he should go to Whitestown for Dr. White. The neighbors sallied forth with such comfortable things as they thought might be acceptable in such a case; but amidst the confusion, the dense forest and the darkness of the night which had just set in, they missed the way; and after wandering about for a long time gave over pursuit and returned home, leaving the poor sufferer alone to his fate. Early the next morning all hands again rallied, and in due time found the young man suffering the most extreme anguish from his mangled limb, and greatly benumbed with cold. They built a fire, made him comfortable with such palliatives

as could be procured in the wilderness, and waited in patience for the return of the parent.

“In the meantime he had proceeded rapidly on his journey on foot and found Dr. White at Clinton, N. Y. Here he engaged an Oneida Indian to pilot them through the woods, by a nearer route than to follow the windings of the old road. Dr. White and Mr. Palmer were at sundry times fearful the Indian would lose the way, but upon every expression of doubt on their part the Indian would exclaim ‘Me know,’ and told them he would bring them out at a certain log, which lay across the Outlet at the foot of Otisco Lake. The Indian took the lead and within forty-eight hours after the accident had happened the Indian brought them exactly to the log, exclaiming triumphantly, ‘Me know.’ Here Mr. Palmer arrived upon familiar ground, and at once proceeded to the cabin where he had left his son, whom they found greatly prostrated, and writhing under the most intense suffering. No time was lost. The case was thought desperate, the limb was amputated at once half way from the knee to the thigh.”

The youth recovered and lived many years afterwards. He became a tailor, and Hon Sidney Smith said, “I remember him very well, going about his duties with his wooden leg.” In a deed dated August 21, 1797, given by Gilbert Palmer to John Palmer, the latter is described by the grantor as, “My son,” and the latter is described as then a resident of Westchester County, indicating that after his terrible accident with the falling tree, related by Clark, he must have returned to his old home in Amawalk, to grow up, recover his strength, and possibly learn the trade of a tailor, afterwards pursued by him while a resident of this town.

Gilbert Palmer's last sale of land on Lot 76 was January 9, 1815, and the last sale of land on the same lot by John Palmer was September 28, 1814. About the latter date the two Palmers moved into the village of Borodino, where the son carried on a tailor shop. In the year 1819 father and son moved to Hannibal, Oswego County, New York, where the former is supposed to have died. In John Palmer's last deed dated July 2, 1819, he is joined by his wife Rachel, whom he probably married after 1814.

Mr. Gilbert Palmer has always been credited with being

a soldier of the American Revolution, and probably was such, as a Gilbert Palmer served for a short tour of duty in a Militia organization both in this State and in the State of Connecticut, the latter being the home of a prolific and influential branch of the Palmer family.

NAMES OF OTHER FIRST SETTLERS.

The next settler in town was undoubtedly Samuel Conklin, who came in 1796 and purchased a farm of one hundred nine acres of Gilbert Palmer, situate in the north west corner of Lot 76, Marcellus. Mr. Conklin is credited with having erected the first frame dwelling house in town, which was built in 1807, near the north west corner of Lot 76, Marcellus.

Mr. Conklin was followed, a few months afterwards, by Henry Winford (or Wentworth), the only soldier who settled on a lot in this town for which he served; he came in the Spring of 1797, and settled on lot 77, Marcellus. We have no knowledge of him after May, 1809, the date of his last deed, which was to John Campbell, who was probably then a resident on said lot 77, Marcellus.

James Kirkum, from Fredericksburg, Dutchess County, New York, settled on lot 77, Marcellus, in the Fall of 1797 or Spring of 1798, but of him we know nothing more after September 8, 1801, at which time he sold out to Justus Blakely, then an owner of land and probably a resident on said lot since June 11, 1799. These are all of whom we have any knowledge who became settlers in town before 1800.

It is very difficult to tell just when the different persons classed as first settlers took up their abode here, by reason of the prevalent custom among them of going into occupation of the land under a contract, and a deed following later, with a date several years posterior to the time of their reputed claim of settlement. Nevertheless the dates given in the following statement are believed to be reasonably accurate and trustworthy, notwithstanding some of the dates may differ from those that have been published on the subject.

According to recorded deeds the northern end of the town led in the matter of settlement, both before and after

the year 1800. Principally from the same source of information it appears Elias Harmon and Zadock Randall settled on lot 77 or 76, Marcellus, Medad Harvey, William Collins and Gershom Hall on lot 75, Marcellus, and Ebenezer Taylor and Nicholas Otis on lot 90, Marcellus, in the year 1801; John C. Hillebert on lot 89, Marcellus, Jesse Peck on lot 90, Marcellus, David Smith on lot 77, Marcellus, Valentine and James Rathbone, Jeremiah Van Benschoten and Jason Gleason on lot 74, Marcellus, and Benjamin Chaffee on lot 69, Marcellus, in the year 1802; Edward Burgess and Lemuel Smith on lot 77, Marcellus, and Warren and John Kneeland on lot 74, Marcellus, in the year 1803. All these, with perhaps the addition of Daniel Tinkham on lot 89, Marcellus, who is reputed to have settled there in 1802, although his deed is dated in 1804, were made before any one had broken silence in the Tully end of the town, unless it be with the single exception made in favor of Jonathan Berry, who is claimed to have settled on lot 12, Sempronius, in the year 1803. Although Mr. Berry's first residence was just over the southern line of Marcellus, in the Tully end of the town, yet all his business and social relations were with the people residing in the vicinity of Borodino.

In the year 1804, Nathan Howard, from Stephentown, N. Y., settled on Lot 74, Marcellus, Samuel Tyler, Asa Chapman, Alvah Smith and Joseph Enos on Lot 69, Marcellus, Avery and Asa Mason and Nathan Parce on Lot 68, Marcellus, Benjamin Sweet from Brutus, N. Y., on Lot 76, Marcellus, and Jabish and Luther Hall and Samuel Maclure on Lot 75, Marcellus.

In the year 1805 Isaac Hall made his first appearance at Spafford Corners, and settled on the States 'Hundred Acres on Lot 21, Tully; he probably should be called the first settler in the southern or Tully end of the town. Mr. Berry, as suggested above, should be classed with the Northern or Marcellus settlers, with whom he soon after and in 1810, became in fact as well as by association a part. During this same year James Cravath also settled on Lot 21, Tully, (near where Joseph Cole resides in 1900), and the name of Amos Miner, the well known inventor and wheelwright, who settled on Lot 68, Marcellus, was added to the northern settlers in town.

The year 1806 witnessed the following additions to the list of settlers, distributed as below: John Hunt and James Fitzgerald, Lot 70, Marcellus, Levi Appleby Lot 89, Marcellus, Gideon Colton from Whitestown, N. Y., Lot 10, Sempronius, Job Smith from Greenfield, N. Y., Lot 74, Marcellus, Peter Knapp, from Brutus, N. Y. on Lot 42, Tully, John Babcock, the first Supervisor of the town, on Lot 21, Tully, and Dr. Archibald Farr on Lot 11, Tully. (Tradition says Dr. Farr came in 1803, see subsequent statement of him.)

From this time forward settlers came in quick succession, and distributed themselves over the town in both its northern and southern extremities; among whom were the following: Asahel Roundy, Samuel Seeley, Charles Whaley, Joshua B. Bearse, Warren Baldwin, Alexander M. Beebe, Joseph Humphrey, Cyrel Johnson, James Cornell, James Hiscock, Oliver Hyde, Ebenezer Lewis, Benjamin Egglestone, Joseph Baldwin, Benjamin Stanton, Joseph Bulfinch, Moses and Joseph Prindle, Psalter Pullman, James Woodworth, Elias Davis, Joseph and Job L. Lewis, Silas Cox, Aaron Bearse, Daniel and Edward Baxter, Messer Barker, Daniel Scranton, Asa Ferry, Thomas Whiting, James Wightman, Pardon Cornell, James McCausey, John Gould, Benjamin Homer, James Avery, Jonathan Ripley, Elisha Sabin, John Rainey, Shadrack, Daniel and Uriah Roundy, Joel Palmer, Amos Palmer, John and Elihu Babcock, Benajah Cleveland, Horace Pease, Ruluf Barber, Rathbone Barber, Rathbone Barber, Jr., Thompson Burdick, David Carver, James Williamson, William Bacon, Amos Bacon, Isaac Town, Luke Miner, William O'Farrell, William D. Cornell, Robert K. Kidney, Alpheus Winchester, Eleazer Hillebert, William Strong, Samuel H. Yates, Loami W. Johnson, Timothy Mills, Silas and Stephen Randall, Robert Almey, Alexander Streeter, Truman Hinman, Jesse Manley, Dr. Benjamin Trumbull, Stephen Crane, William Dedrick, Amasa Kneeland, Dr. Jeremiah B. Whiting, Col. Phineas and John Hutchens, Edwin S. Edwards, Augustin McKay, Calvin Patterson, Daniel Wallace, Sr. and Jr., Samuel Holmes, Peter Churchell, Abiathar Melvin, Amos Fisher, Christopher Green, Osmer Orton, John and Samuel Gale, Timothy Owen, Dr. John Collins and many others, which,



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for greater particularity, the reader is referred to the second part of this work.

These men, as has been said before, were nearly all of New England origin, mostly from Rhode Island, Connecticut, Massachusetts, and Vermont, although a large proportion of them came to this town from the counties in this State east of the Hudson River, where they had made a temporary sojourn prior to coming here. Perhaps the County of Washington, north of Albany, contributed in numbers as generously as any to these early settlers. They were an energetic, God fearing, well informed and industrious people; among whom were many remarkable men, who have left an indelible impression upon the character of the people of this town; and some of their descendants have gone forth and made an honorable record for themselves in the several communities in which they have resided. Of some of these we have given a more or less extended account in the second part of this work, and will not repeat here. We deeply regret, however, our inability to do justice to all owing to want of further information on the subject. Social life among the early settlers in this town was much the same as in all other communities settled by New England people, much that was good in it and very little that was evil; and yet there was a humorous side to it as well as a serious one. We trust the following anecdotes will not detract from the general high social character of these settlers, nor be unacceptable to the reader.

CAPTAIN ASAHEL ROUNDY.

Captain Asahel Roundy, whose family genealogy appears in the second part of this work, came to Spafford on horseback from Rockingham, Vt., in 1807. His father, Uriah Roundy, died in 1813 at the latter place, and soon after his mother and brothers and sisters followed him from the old home in Vermont and took up residences about him in this town, from whence in after years they were scattered to different parts of the Great West. Mr. Roundy obtained his rank of Captain from the State of New York, he having commanded a Company from this town in the 96th Militia from this State in the War of 1812; that regiment having done a short tour of duty in the Fall of 1814 in the vicinity

of Sackett's Harbor, New York. In this service Phineas Hutchens was his Lieutenant. At the time of receiving orders for this service Captain Roundy was at Onondaga Hill, attending a meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Onondaga County, of which he was a member, and at once communicated the order to his subordinate, Lieutenant Hutchens, who warned out the Company, came on to Onondaga Valley, and was there joined by Captain Roundy. The Company was absent from home under his command for about a month and was then discharged at Smith's Mills, New York, November 22nd, 1814. Captain Roundy inherited his military instincts from a patriotic ancestry; his father, his grandfather, and three of his uncles did military service in the American Revolution.

The general character of the early settlers of this town is well illustrated by the following anecdotes told of Captain Roundy, in a recent publication from which we copy:

"During the early history of the County of Onondaga a large share of the litigation was in Justice Courts in the different towns, and not in the higher Courts at the County seat, as at the present day. On such occasions the best talent in the county was employed, and every one suspended work to be present at the law suit. At such times Captain Roundy was frequently called upon to try one side or the other of these cases, and Hon. Daniel Gott, who in olden times was considered one of the strongest trial lawyers in the county, paid Captain Roundy the compliment of being one of the strongest advocates before a jury of any man he ever met. There were several remarkable men among the early pioneers of this town, but it is no disparagement of any of them to say that he was the most remarkable of them all. He was six feet tall, well proportioned, a perfect athlete, and an adept in all the sports participated in by the men of those times. His education was acquired only in the common school, but he had a remarkably retentive memory, and his mind was well stored with valuable information including much poetry and song, all of which he was able to command and use to advantage, both in public speech and in private conversation. He was a man physically and mentally well equipped.

"The first settler at what is now known as Randall's Point or Spafford Landing, on Skaneateles Lake, came to

Spafford early, while the country was then a wilderness, and undertook to build a log house at that place. In doing so he broke his leg, by a log rolling upon him. Captain Roundy, finding him in this condition, and no help being at hand, took him upon his back and bore him through the woods up an almost vertical pathway for a mile and a half to his house, where he was cared for until his recovery.

“Captain Roundy at an early date purchased lands in the eastern part of the town, and laid out and built the road known as the Bucktail. Any one who has ever passed over this road will be likely to remember that its ruggedness is equal to its picturesqueness, which is saying a good deal. In early times this road has been and is now a subject of jest. At that time the two principal political parties in this State were known as Bucktails and Clintonians. Of the former he was at that time a prominent member, so much so that the people dubbed the road the “Bucktail,” in recognition of that fact, and it has borne the name until the present time.

“At an early time one or two burials had been made in what is known as the Spafford Cemetery, east of the Corners, which was then open pasture land. One day a funeral party came there with a corpse for burial, and the man who owned the land refused to let the interment take place, whereupon as usual in such cases, an appeal was made to Captain Roundy, who went to the owner and bought and paid for the original land, (one acre) which forms a part of this Cemetery, and the title to the same rests in his name, or that of his descendants to this day.

“Before 1831 it was common to imprison people for debt. On one occasion a man living on the main road in the southern part of the town was in debt. He was abusive and resisted arrest. For a long time he kept himself concealed and locked indoors. He kept out of the way of the officers, as they were not permitted to break down doors to make such arrests. The officer went to Captain Roundy, and he undertook to assist him in making service. It was Winter time. He got a two horse rig, put on all the bells he could find, and in the middle of the night drove down to within half a mile of the man’s house, got out, and taking two bundles of straw under his arm, walked down to the north end of the house, which had no windows in it,

the only door of admittance being on the east side, near the northeast corner of the house. Arriving at the place he set fire to the straw, whereupon the man with the bells and horses drove at a furious rate, yelling "Fire," which brought the man to the door in his night dress, where he was met by Captain Roundy, who took him gently in his arms and turned him over to the officer.

"At an early date Captain Roundy built a sawmill, on the upper falls of the stream near the Bucktail road, with a flume running over the precipice, and subsequently built a carding mill a little higher up stream. About this time a supposed distant relative of his came to town and claimed to have knowledge of carding, fulling and making cloth. He put him in charge of the mill. After he had been in possession for a time, Captain Roundy thought it time to go over and investigate, and count up the profits of his venture. To his mute astonishment he found the building entirely empty and his carding machinery carried away. This he subsequently found hid under a straw stack near the Village of Cardiff.

"At one time a log house stood on the village green, now existing at the Corners, between the two churches. A woman living in this house, after a time, was discovered to have won the affections and regard of a neighboring woman's husband, with whom she agreed to elope. On the night fixed for this episode to take place, there was a gathering of men on horseback in a distant part of the town, and after the elopers had gotten a mile or so on their journey, they were overtaken by this cavalcade and escorted to Borodino. After a short stop they were persuaded to return; the man after making over his property to his wife, was permitted to go away with his new found charmer undisturbed.

"At an early date a dilapidated old house stood a short distance east of the Corners. It was rumored that an undesirable family had hired it, was going to move into town and likely to become a town charge. The people called upon the owner and tried to dissuade him from letting the property to these people; but he persisted, and was more or less abusive, much to the annoyance of his neighbors. One fine morning, just before the new settlers were to arrive, people were surprised to find this house razed to



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the ground. The owner was furious and charged one of his neighbors with perpetrating the mischief, went to Captain Roundy, who was then Justice of the Peace, and swore out a warrant for the man. At that time the party to a criminal or civil proceeding could not be sworn on the trial in his own behalf, and the defendant was often at the mercy of unscrupulous witnesses. At the time of the trial every one turned out and very much regretted the turn of affairs, which seemed to be against the defendant. The complainant produced a witness who swore that he was passing along the road in the night, saw the defendant tearing down the house, and he tried to get away from him, but he knew him and was certain of his identity. The defendant was so unfortunate as not to be able to prove even an alibi. When the case was rested, much to the surprise of every one present, Captain Roundy discharged the defendant, claiming that there was no cause of action against him. Of course it was a high handed proceeding, but every one submitted because it was Captain Roundy's decision, and they all believed that he must have some inter light not discernible to the rest of them. Sometime afterwards one of his daughters said to him: 'Father, how could you make such a decision, when you knew that witness swore point blank to the guilt of the defendant, and there were no mitigating circumstances?' 'Well,' he said, 'If you will never say anything about it, I will tell you. I knew that witness lied, for Colonel Hutchens and myself pulled down that building.'"

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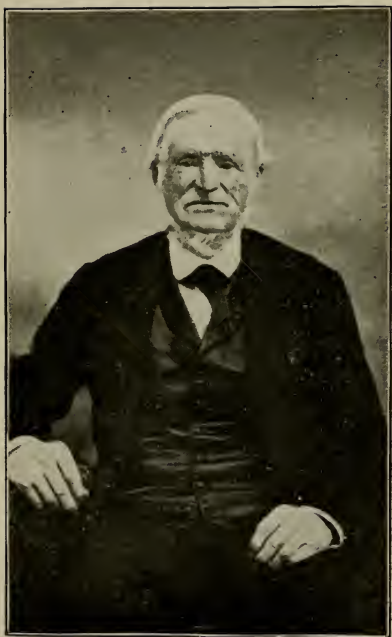
Uriah Roundy, one of the sons of Capt. Asahel and Hannah (Weston) Roundy, was born in the town of Spafford, July 24, 1819. Like his father before him he was prominent in his native town, and was frequently called upon to perform matters of public trust and confidence. Among the public offices held by him were: Supervisor of the Town of Spafford, three terms, Justice of the Sessions of the County of Onondaga two terms, Excise Commissioner one term, (from which he resigned), and Loan Commissioner of the County of Onondaga two years. He was also Justice of the Peace in Spafford between twenty-five and thirty years, and Postmaster at Spafford Corners for many

years; he was an incumbent of both of the latter offices at the time of his decease which occurred May 29th, 1902. For many years prior to his decease nearly all the Wills, Mortgages, Deeds and other legal documents executed in his portion of the town were drawn by him, and he was frequently called upon to perform other duties of an attorney at law. He married Mary Ann Tinkham and by her had two sons, Adelbert and Jay C. Roundy, the former only surviving him.

PULLMAN FAMILY.

Captain Asahel Roundy, during his active career, was the owner of considerable real estate in this town, and at one time owned nearly all of Lot 32, Sempronius. This he conveyed in parcels to different settlers, who moved on the lands, cleared away the forests, built houses and reared families there. Among these early settlers, to whom he conveyed land on this lot, was Psalter Pullman. He cleared away the timber and settled on the farm afterwards known as the Rathbone Barber, Jr., farm, and now (1900) owned by the estate of Edwin S. Van Benschoten, deceased. On this farm most, if not all, of Mr. Pullman's children were born. Among them was Lewis Pullman, the father of George M. Pullman, the late multi-millionaire and sleeping and palace car magnate, of Pullman, Illinois, whose decease is a matter of recent occurrence. Psalter Pullman moved to the western part of this State about 1829. There are very few now living who have any remembrance of him or of any of his family, except his son, John Pullman, who married Mabel Pettis, sister of Ebenezer Haven's wife. He continued to reside here for about twenty years after the departure of his father.

John Pullman at one time resided on the Skaneateles and Homer road, about one mile south of Spafford Corners, and kept a house of entertainment there called "The Nimble Sixpence." The house and barn were close to the road on either side, and passers by at night were much annoyed by John's cattle, who were wont to sleep in the highway for want of a better barnyard. "The Nimble Sixpence," according to the memory of "Old Inhabitants," had only one room in it, and that was occupied by Mr. Pullman's numerous family as a bed room, living room, dining room,



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pantry, etc., besides being used as a bar-room and lounging place for guests, after Mr. Pullman set himself up in business as a tavern keeper. It is probable that Mr. Pullman's patrons were mostly confined to neighbors' boys, who thought it great sport to give landlord Pullman an occasional house warming. Mr. Pullman was an honest, upright and well meaning man, but possessed of certain vagaries and crank notions, which leads those who knew him to believe that George M. Pullman, the great Palace Car magnate, absorbed all the brains and nervous energy of the entire Pullman family.

After the removal of the major part of the Pullman family to the western part of the State, as above stated, an occasional correspondence was kept up between John Pullman, who was left behind, and other members of the family. One day John Jullman came to the village Postmistress with an unsealed letter in his hand, and with unfeigned pride, asked her to examine it, saying: "Don't you think that pretty good *writin'* for a man like me?" She took the letter in her hand, examined it, and found among other things that Mr. Pullman had made an indiscriminate use of capital letters, without any reference to any known rules on the subject, sometimes even placing them in the middle of a word. She turned to Mr. Pullman and said: "Mr. Pullman, your writing is very good indeed, but why don't you put your capital letters at the beginning of words and sentences, as other people do?" "Well," says he, "I think that makes my *writin'* look a *leetle* better to scatter them more evenly through the letter, than to bunch them up as some people do."

COLONEL PHINEAS HUTCHENS.

Colonel Phineas Hutchens was born in Herkimer County, New York, in 1785, and came to this town and settled on Lot 22, Tully, in 1811. He remained on the farm where he first settled, until his' decease in 1870. He was a man of great physical strength, strong personality, a natural leader of men, a prominent member of the Baptist Church, and led a blameless life. His personal influence was always wielded for the good of the community in which he resided, yet, having a strong sense of humor in his make up, he fully enjoyed all the sports and military functions

which were popular in those times and engaged the attention of the people. In those matters, and in the conduct of the public affairs of the town, he was always a cordial and able assistant of his life long friend, Captain Asahel Roundy. Prior to 1830, when a portion of the township of Marcellus was added, all public business of the town centered about Spafford "Corners," where these two men resided, and their influence was most potent.

Both were strong men, yet their influence and control over their fellows was much strengthened by their sympathetic and fun loving natures.

ROSWELL HUTCHENS.

Mr. Hutchens had a son, Roswell Hutchens, who inherited his humor, purity and fun, but not his commanding physical strength and personality. "Roz," as he was familiarly called, died January 16, 1854, at the age of thirty-three years, unmarried, yet where is there a man or woman, who was a boy or girl residing within a radius of ten miles of Spafford "Corners," in his time, who does not cherish a pleasant recollection of him and his fun loving disposition. His sleigh or wagon was never so small or overloaded as to prevent him giving a boy or girl a lift on the way to and from school, and generally his sleigh or wagon had as many boys and girls upon it as could safely hang on. In the Fall of the year "Roz" ran the Hutchens' Cider Mill, which at noon hour of school days was a favorite resort for boys to congregate, eat dinner and drink cider. No boy was ever refused a drink of cider and as much of the beverage as he could carry away in his dinner pail. Like his father before him he was a lover of fine horses and was seldom without a pair of his own, yet like most admirers of horsekind he was a successful and inveterate horse trader:—in fact he would trade anything he owned if he got his price. His desire for traffic frequently led him from home, and it was not unusual for these absences to be extended for weeks at a time; then followed the triumphal home coming, when all the people left their work and gathered along the highway to witness the entertainment which "Roz" was sure to have in store for them. On one of these occasions, it will be remembered, that the procession consisted of two or more spans of horses attached

to an ordinary farm wagon, bearing a hay-rack filled with all kinds of household goods and farming implements. Following this came a yoke of oxen, a dairy of cows, and a drove of sheep. The entire outfit comprised everything necessary to stock and run a farm except a wife, and no doubt there was some disappointment in not finding among his belongings this essential commodity.

At another time he brought home a camel-back pacer mare, as ugly looking a nag as man ever drew a line over, but as speedy as she was ugly, and that was saying a good deal. For a month or more after that every farmer boy, who thought he had a horse particularly fast, had a chance to test his claim on the road. It is not probable that "Roz's" sisters or girl friends were ever seen going to church or a quilting bee behind this animal, yet all were willing before a month went by to concede the right of way to him and his pacer mare. "Roz" was a great favorite with old and young, and on festive occasions among his acquaintance, was not only present but generally the center of interest, where innocent fun held sway. No one presumed to make him the subject of a practical joke but once, and that nearly broke his heart.

"Roz" brought home a raw-boned animal, called a Pie-balled horse, of very light color and in bad condition; this was put to pasture in a back lot, to recuperate and gain flesh, as a basis for a future trade. With his long ears and measly condition he looked more like a mule than a horse, so much so, that a wag thinking to define his identification in the animal kingdom more perfectly, trimmed his tail down to a "nubbin" at the end, and cut his mane down to a row of short bristles along the top of his neck; then, still more to improve the identification, he put a few stripes around his body with a brush and a pot of black paint; the animal, thus disfigured, was then turned loose to meet the doting gaze of his master. When "Roz" discovered this transformed quadruped he was furious, and for the first time in his life was unable to see the funny side of a joke. The wag soon discovered this unusual element in "Roz" nature, and wisely kept his identification so securely that "Roz" died without knowledge of the creator of this, his first and only specimen of the Zebra kind.

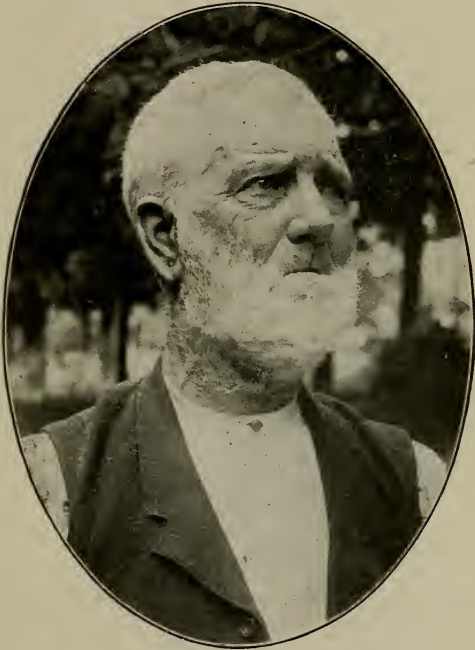
Among the efforts made to discover the person who per-

petrated this practical joke, was one made by "Ranse" Coon, the village harness-maker. At "Roz" solicitation he got a small boy, who was supposed to know something of the matter, into his shop and inquired of him who disfigured "Roz" horse. The boy being reluctant to answer, Coon pressed the question, by saying he might as well tell then as at any time, for if he did not answer he would be brought in Court and made to swear. The boy replied that his mother told him "never to swear." Coon, perceiving the boy did not understand the nature of an oath, pressed his question still more. Finally the boy, in despair, exclaimed, "Well, if I have got to swear, I say B— G— I don't know anything about it." This settled the examination, and "Roz," being told the result, was so well pleased that he gave up farther investigation.

On the face of the tombstone placed at the grave of Roswell Hutchens, in Spafford Cemetery, is firmly set a small daguerrotype of himself, in a plug hat; this, when last seen by the writer, after a lapse of nearly fifty years since it was first put there, was as perfect as when first taken.

AMOS MINER.

Amos Miner was born in Norfolk, Litchfield County, Conn., November 10th, 1776. He came to Marcellus, (now Skaneateles), about the year 1800, and settled on a cross-road leading east from the lake road, and about two miles south of the village of Skaneateles. Here he built himself a shop and commenced the manufacture of his famous accelerating wheel-heads, to be attached to spinning wheels then in use by farmers' wives for making woolen yarn. In the Fall of the year 1805 he sold his possessions in Skaneateles and located on Lot 68, Marcellus, (now Spafford), but soon after established himself in Factory Gulf, where, as a member of the firm of Miner, Deming and Sessions, he built a factory for the manufacture of his celebrated accelerating wheel-heads and other wooden articles. Among the articles invented and manufactured by him about this time were Miner's Patent Pail, Miner's Half Bushel Measure, Miner's Wooden Bowls, Miner's Grooved Window Sash, and Miner's Wooden Pumps. He also manufactured many other articles from wood, then in common use.



THOMAS MAXSON FOSTER



After a few years Miner sold his interest in the business at Factory Gulf, and located himself at the head of another Gulf on Lot 76, Marcellus, leading into Otisco Lake, where he built another factory, and a grist mill, commonly called "The Pudding Mill," from the fact that Miner here ground large quantities of Indian meal, commonly used by the early settlers as an article of food, under the name of pudding and milk. Miner's superior inventive genius was more often brought into requisition in the manufacture of tools and machines used in the process of manufacture of his inventions, than in the conception and completion of the finished product itself.

The genius of Miner was particularly illustrated by the manner in which he accumulated and applied the power to run his machinery at the mill, situate at the head of the Pudding Mill Gulf. The mill was so located on the edge of a precipitous rock, that the water coming to his mill passed over a series of three overshot wheels, one above another, giving him the accumulated power of three wheels instead of one.

Miner, like most men of his class, was a better inventor than financier, so when his invention was completed and on the road to success, he generally tired of it, sold out, and others were permitted to reap the fruits of his genius instead of himself. The Pudding Mill venture was no exception to the rule, so another was soon in possession of the mill, and miner was engaged in starting another factory or mill at Mottville, on the outlet of Skaneateles Lake. From there he soon moved further down stream, to a place midway between Elbridge and Jordan, and was finally lost sight of in the Far Distant West. When he left the State it is said he carried with him the sum of \$10,000, the accumulation of a lifetime, while others accumulated great wealth, as a product of his brain power and inventive genius.

BARN MOVING.

In the early fifties Asahel Madison Roundy was a merchant at Spafford "Corners," and owned and occupied the Joseph R. Berry store (now occupied by John Van Benschoten), and Thomas Maxson Foster was and had been for many years his clerk. This store was a favorite place

for men and boys to gather evenings, tell stories and discuss matters of general interest. Before Mr. Roundy's death, which occurred in 1857, an incident occurred which Mr. Foster, familiarly called "Mac," related to the writer, and we here transcribe in his own language:

"A short time before Asahel M. Roundy died he purchased a part of the Samuel French farm, west of the road and just south of the "Corners." Being dissatisfied with the location of the barn on the premises, he undertook to move it nearer the road and the house on the place. He made a bee and invited his neighbors to assist in the moving, which was in the old way, with rollers under each corner of the building, revolved by hand spikes inserted in holes made for the purpose. After two half days' effort the building still stood within a rod of the place where it was at the beginning, and Ase came in to the store where I was at work, discouraged, and said to me: 'I don't believe I can ever get that barn moved in the world.' I replied: 'If you will leave that job to me I will get it moved, and won't go near it either, but if you do you must not interfere.' 'Well,' says he, 'you go ahead, and I will stand aside and you can do as you please.'

"Roundy, at that time, was a prominent member of the Baptist Church and a pronounced advocate of temperance. After the matter was turned over to me I waited until one evening, when a number of men had gathered in the store to tell stories and discuss the news of the day, and I said to them quietly, that on such a day I intended to move 'Ase's' barn, and I wanted them to turn out and help me and invite their friends. That there would be plenty of lemonade for all, and I would see there was plenty of *stick* in it to suit their taste; and if they came I would see they had a good time.

"When the day arrived the clans began to gather; there was not only enough to move the building, but a goodly number to spare. There was Silas Randall and two or three of his boys, Avery Burdick, Russel Rounds, Jencks Harrington, Uriah Morris, and many others whose names I cannot recall; most of whom have long since gone to their final reward. They were honest and faithful men, good and generous neighbors, and every one of them fond of good cheer and of the sports of that age.

“As I began to mix my first pail of lemonade, Silas Randall sang out: “Well, boys, if we are going to move that building let us be about it,” and all hands following his lead and moved off for the barn. By the time the last man had moved out of the store I had my lemons, sugar and water in the pail, and I went down cellar and drew a generous measure of alcohol, and added that to the other ingredients in the pail; I then started for the barn. When I got there I saw that Silas Randall was in charge and every man in his place, so I carefully put my lemonade where all could see it and returned to the store. On my return I took down another large milk pail and commenced my second decoction of lemons, sugar, water and alcohol. As I pursued my work I looked out of the store window and saw that the barn was not only moving, but seemed to be walking to its place of destination. When I had prepared my second pail of lemonade I again started for the moving. On the way I met M—— M——, who accosted me, saying: “Mac! there seems to be plenty of help without me, so I guess I will go home and hoe my potatoes. I did not get any of the other lemonade, and if you are willing, I would like a bit of this.” I put down the pail, and he took the tin dipper and took up a generous draught of the beverage. As he put it to his lips, I said: ‘M——, be careful, there is a *stick* in that and I don’t know the size of it.’ He either did not hear the remark, or did not heed the caution, and quaffed off the contents of the dipper without a halt, and started for home. M—— M—— and his wife were at that time well known church members and professed strict teetotalers, hence my caution; which I would not have deemed necessary for others. When I arrived at the building it was nearly in place, so I put down the pail, stood around and looked on. Before the building, with his back to the front, stood the tall form of Silas Randall, with his bare brawny arms gesticulating like a bandmaster. ‘Here, take hold of this plank, Avery, and put it down here. Take hold of that handspike, Nathan. Russel Rounds, come round here and help William,’ sang out his clear voice, and then: ‘All together. He! Hoe! Hee! He! Hoe! Hee and the building moved like a creature of life. It did not take long to put the barn in place, and then came the jacking up of the building and the leveling of the sills. There was no

use for me, so I started back for the store. As I walked along I looked down the road and saw Mrs. M——, with her sunbonnet in her hand, coming towards me as fast as she could walk. When she overtook me she said: 'Mac, what has M—— been doing up here to-day?' I said: 'Nothing; there was sufficient without him, so he went home. Why?' She replied: 'I never saw him act so before. He came home, took his hoe and went into the potato patch, and there he stood leaning on it. The moment he tried to do anything, he pitched forward and could hardly keep his feet; I did not know what was the matter.' I said: 'He is not to blame, if any one is it is me; but no one is to blame. I told him there was a *stick* in the lemonade, but I guess he did not understand it. You go home, put him to bed, and he will sleep it off by morning. Don't say anything to anyone about it. He is all right.' She turned around and went home. As M—— lived afterwards to a good old age I guess the lemonade did him no harm.

"After the moving was completed the young folks gathered on the village green and played ball, and the old folks looked on and applauded the winners. At tea time all went home, feeling that they had a good time. No one seemed to be worse for having drank of the lemonade with a stick in it."

DANIEL WALLACE, JR.

This brief sketch of first settlers would be incomplete without some reference to the large, influential and respectable Wallace family, who were inhabitants of the northern portion of the town. Daniel Wallace, Sr., the head of the family, came from Pittstown, Rensselaer County, New York, and settled on Lot 88, Marcellus, about 1808. He had a large family, some of whom were born before coming here and some afterwards. They were all persons of marked character, but possibly none of his sons were better known than his son Daniel Wallace, Jr., who at one time was one of the largest real estate holders in town. "Uncle Daniel," as the latter was familiarly called, died at a great age and was buried in Borodino Cemetery. He always claimed his family was of Scotch origin, but the old stock spelled the name Wallis in a very un-Scottish way. Uncle Daniel took great interest in town affairs, and his

neighbors early discovered the necessity of consulting his wishes in such matters. Political questions were of vital importance to him, and all measures submitted to public vote usually received his cordial support or unyielding opposition. He was a lifelong Democrat, and like most members of that party, was generally opposed to new innovations, or so called reform movements. He firmly believed in the right of every man to think and act for himself in relation to religious and political questions, and therefore rebelled against all restraints in such matters. When the temperance movement was first advocated it met his determined opposition; and when local option as to the sale of intoxicating liquors became a question of town politics he was furious, and threw his strength with the License Party. There are some still living who well remember the bitter fight which Uncle Daniel and his followers put up in the Special Election, held April 27, 1847, when the question of License or No License was first determined by vote of the town. The Liquor, or License men, turned out early and strong, and during the fore part of the day it looked as if the question was going their way, and Uncle Daniel was happy, but in the afternoon the other side had their innings, and the question was finally determined in favor of the No License men, by a vote of 181 to 171. This was too much for Uncle Daniel and for years afterwards he did not forget the leaders of the men who were opposed to him in this movement.

Uncle Daniel was a thrifty and prosperous farmer and at one time raised many turkeys for the Syracuse market. In the Fall of the year it was not uncommon, at evening time, to see turkeys roosting on the fences and trees for a quarter of a mile on either side of his house; and at Thanksgiving Syracuse was made happy by the luscious character of his birds, and Uncle Daniel was enriched by Syracuse silver received in return. The frequent recurrence of these annual visits to Syracuse obtained for him the sobriquet of "Turkey Wallace," a name which he bore to the time of his decease.

Uncle Daniel had a large, intelligent and respectable family of children whom, for reasons best known to himself, he named after distinguished notables and royal personages which attracted his attention, as follows: "Simon

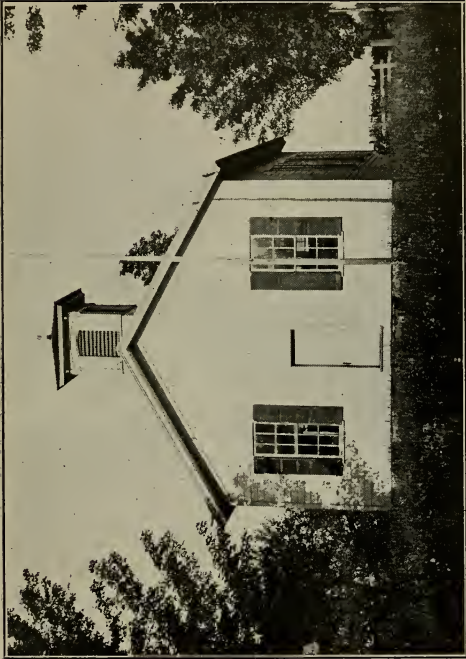
Bolivar, Napoleon Bonaparte, Santa Anna, Maria Antoinette, Demetrius Ypsilanti, and Andrew Jackson." Andrew Jackson was a name particularly to his liking, for the first of that name having died young, he named a second after that distinguished character in American history.

SCHOOLS.

Like other communities settled by New England people, the first settlers in town had hardly put their things to rights in their log cabins before they organized schools and churches. The first school teacher at Spafford "Corners" was Hannah Weston, who came from her home in Skaneateles Village and returned to it weekly on horseback; the road through the wilderness between the two places not permitting of any other mode of travel. This school, the beginning of District School No. 2, was taught in a log cabin, standing near the present residence of Nathan Randall, two doors south of Roundy's store in 1900. Miss Weston was born in Fitz William, N. H., September 22, 1786, and came to Skaneateles with her parents before 1800, among the first settlers in that village. It was while teaching that school she made the acquaintance of Captain Asahel Roundy, with whom she was afterwards united in marriage, January 19, 1809.

The school thus organized was continued for a short time at the place where it was first instituted, but soon after, as a compromise between the patrons residing on the two main thoroughfares running north and south through this portion of the town, a building specially designed for school purposes was erected on "The Hill," a quarter of a mile or more east of the "Corners," on a cross road leading from one to the other of these two leading highways.

The first two or three generations of village boys and girls who attended school on "The Hill," have many reminiscences to relate in reference to these times, pleasant and otherwise. We imagine, however, that none of them were ever exactly satisfied with that location for a school house. In the Summer it was dreary, nearly half a mile from any residence, and in Winter it was the bleakest and windiest place on earth. The cold northwest wind, coming over Skaneateles Lake, had a free and unobstructed sweep of twenty miles or more, and struck the school building fair



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and square in its full strength and vigor. In looking back to those days we only wonder why the building was not blown away. It took many cords of three foot wood to feed that old box stove, in use at that time, to keep the boys and girls in comfort on the back seats and their ink stands from freezing. Every scholar had to carry a dinner pail in those days, the noon hour being too short to permit going to the nearest house for the mid-day meal. In Winter the east and west road between the school house and village was always drifted full, so it was imperative for teams and pedestrians to pass through the open fields, in going from one to the other of these places. Then there were many other objections to this location for a school house that a pupil could allege, besides those already noted, and not least of these was the fact, that it was altogether too near a fine old grove of beech woods, which was just opposite of the school house grounds. Teaching school in those times was very much like driving oxen; it was attended with much talking and a dextrouse use of a beech gad. We doubt if there is any boy living or dead, who attended school on "The Hill," who has not a score of vows registered in High Heavens to "lick" some teacher who taught in that old house, "as soon as he got *big* enough to do the job." There was something in the very air of that old school house to make a schoolmaster "whale" a boy; and so far as heard from there were no exceptions to the rule in teachers.

About 1824 or 1825 the first school building accidentally (?) burned and the boys and girls were happy. But the time was not then ripe for a change, so a new building was promptly erected on the old site to replace the old one. During the interim school was continued in Webster's barn, then standing a few rods east of the village cemetery. The second building was used for school purposes until about 1860, when a new generation of fathers having come in power, a new building was erected just south of the Corners, where school has been taught ever since.

Among the pleasing incidents which occurred at school on the hill was the raising of a flag and pole. At a Summer term the small boys had under discussion the subject of pole and flag, when the school mistress good naturedly observed, that if they would erect the pole she would furnish the flag. This put the youngsters to work, and very soon,

with the aid of their friends, the pole was in place, obligating the teacher to perform on her part. In her dilemma she engaged the services of the village wagon maker, who professed knowledge on the subject of flags, to furnish the article required. At the time appointed the flag was produced; it consisted of a strip of white cotton cloth striped with paint in all colors of the rainbow, and on the field, where stars usually are placed, instead appeared this motto: "What man has done, man can do again. No. 2 will try it."

The flag was a grievous failure, for when hoisted to the top of the pole, like any piece of oil cloth, which in fact it was, it would not float in any zephyrs known to Spafford Hills. Yet, the motto was there and made an indelible impression, which we trust will endure as long as a scholar of that old school shall survive to repeat the sentiment.

In April and May, 1813, the original town of Spafford was divided into five school districts, very much as now, with the exception of the Spafford Hollow district, which was then included in, and afterwards taken from, the Cold Brook district. The Nunnery district was then designated as No. 1, Spafford Corners as No. 2, East Side Hill as No. 3, Cold Brook as No. 4, and the North district, sometimes called the Woodworth District, as No. 5.

From time to time subsequent to this first school order, slight changes were made in district lines to accommodate patrons of these schools; and from time to time, to meet the wants of school children, new districts were created out of old ones, or discontinued, as the exigencies of the times seemed to require. Among the changes made which seem worthy to be noted are the following:

In 1817 School District No. 2 was divided by a line drawn east and west through the center of Lot 31, Tully, and the southern portion created into a new district, known as No. 6. The next year (1818) Ripley Hill was taken from School District No. 4, and, after a separate existence as School District No. 7 for a short time, was finally dissolved in 1821, and its territory added to School District No. 6. In this district school was first taught in a log house which stood west of the highway on Lot 41, Tully, just south of Prindle's Woods. In 1831 a new frame building was erected east of the same highway and at its junction with

a cross road south of Barker's house, leading to Ripley Hill. In the latter building school was continued until the Spring of 1850, when this district was dissolved and its territory re-annexed to School District No. 2. At this time the school building was sold, moved to Spafford Corners and re-modeled into a dwelling house, lately occupied by Alexander Green. This house is now the first house south of Roundy's store, on the west of the highway.

In January, 1824, after a protracted controversy among the patrons of School District No. 3, over the location of a new school building, that district by order of the School Commissioners was divided into two districts numbered 3 and 7, but in 1835 the latter was dissolved and its territory re-annexed to School District No. 3.

In 1831, after the annexation of a portion of the township of Marcellus to the original town of Spafford in the prior year, the schools then existing in the new territory were recognized and re-numbered, so as to make their numbers consecutive in order with those then existing in this town. There have been some changes in these school districts since that time, owing principally to changes in town lines by acts of the Legislature of the State of New York, so there are now in the Marcellus end of the town, three full districts instead of seven, as at the beginning of 1831.

In addition to the schools above enumerated there have always been joint districts, supported by this and adjoining towns, notably the Scott and Ripley Hill District, and the school in Spafford Hollow, supported by the towns of Spafford, Otisco and Tully.

It seems unnecessary to add that these schools have been for years free schools, supported by public tax, are under the general supervision of State authorities, and, like all schools of the State, are justly commended for their excellence and efficiency.

CHURCHES AND LIBRARIES.

One of the oldest churches in the County of Onondaga is that of the Baptist Church at Thorn Hill, which was organized largely through the instrumentality of Elder Elias Harmon, its first pastor, who came to this town and settled on Lot 77 or 76, Marcellus, on or before February 25, 1801.

The first records of this church are dated April 19, 1806, but the general belief is that the organization of the church preceded that date. The incorporation of the society under the name of "First Baptist Religious Society of Marcellus," took place May 7, 1815, when the church building was begun, and at which time Alexander Enos, Elijah Cody, John Wiltsey, Medad Harvey, Joshua Chandler and John Hunt, were made trustees. It is probable that the church building was completed in 1816; prior to which time church services were held in school houses and private residences. The names of Nathan Thompson, Amasa Sessions, John Ten Eycke and Charles Nichols were additional names mentioned in said letters of incorporation, which were recorded in Onondaga County Clerk's Office in Miscellaneous Records, Book "D," page 2, etc., April 4, 1816.

The following account of said society is taken, corrected, and adapted from Israel Parsons, M. D.'s, Centennial Address delivered at the Village of Marcellus, New York, July 4, 1876.

"The materials concerning the Baptist Church at Thorn Hill were taken from a manuscript history of that church prepared by Elder Hatch in 1867, during his pastorate of that church. At the date of the first records of the church on April 19, 1806, Elder Elias Harmon was pastor, and the following were among the most active male members: Amasa Sessions, Amasa Kneeland, John Kneeland, Warren Kneeland, Jesse Manley, Chauncey Deming, Nathan Thompson, and Joshua Chandler.

The following is a list of the early pastors of this church:

Elias Harmon	1805 (or earlier) to Feb., 1816
Salmon Morton	Aug., 1816 to Aug., 1818
Jesse B. Worden	Nov., 1816 to Mar., 1835
W. Benjamin Capron	Mar., 1835 to Mar., 1840
Thomas Brown	Apr., 1840 to Feb., 1848
A. R. Palmer	Feb., 1848 to Dec., 1849
Sylvester Gardner	Spring, 1850 to May, 1851
William Wilkins	May, 1851 to Mar. 1852
Jno. Baldwin	June, 1853 to Sept., 1854
Alexander Milne	Mar., 1855 to Mar., 1857
Hiram Powers	Mar., 1857 to Mar., 1858
Thomas Bowen	Apr., 1858 to June, 1858

the date of his decease.

J. N. Seeley	Dec., 1858 to Nov., 1860
William Roney	May, 1861 to May, 1864
E. B. Hatch	Apr., 1865

(The latter was pastor when this record was made.)

“From the organization of the church to September, 1867, (when the record was made) a period of sixty-two years, there had been united to it by baptism five hundred and twenty-two, and by letter three hundred and eight.

Elder Worden's pastorate was the longest, eighteen years, and Elder Hatch says was the period of the Church's greatest prosperity. He preached two thousand sermons, attended two hundred funerals, and solemnized one hundred and twenty marriages. Over four hundred were taken into the church during that time.

Dr. Jonathan Kneeland is quoted as saying: “The Baptist Church at Thorn Hill was built fifty-nine years ago, and previous meetings were held in school houses. Elder Jesse B. Worden preached to the people from the high pulpit of this church, standing on one leg, (not Worden but the pulpit), for about 18 years, when he went to Montrose, Pennsylvania, where he died. He was Captain of Volunteers in the War of 1812. His church salary was \$250.00 per year, one-fifth in cash, and the balance in produce, principally corn and wheat, the former at three shillings and the latter at six shillings per bushel.”

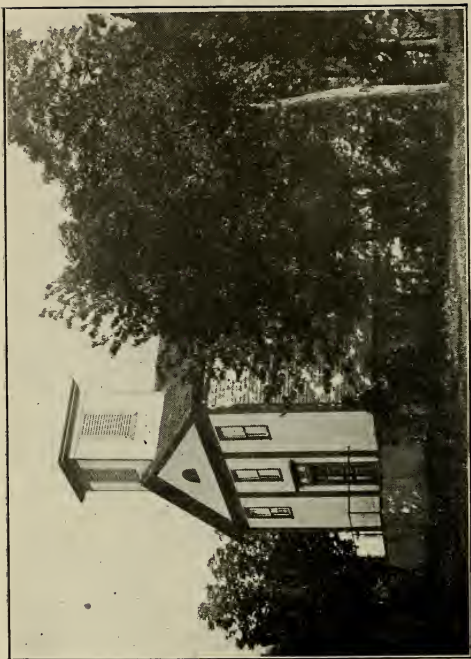
Dr. Kneeland is further quoted as saying: “Elder Morton will be long remembered for his strong Calvinistic sermons.” “Elder Harmon moved to Chautauqua County, N. Y., and many of his sons became men of mark.” Hon. Sidney Smith says “Elder Morton died and was buried at Thorn Hill.” He “died January 22, 1822, in his 55th year and the 23rd of his ministry,” according to the inscription on his tombstone at Thorn Hill.

A public library was instituted and incorporated at Thorn Hill, February 12th, 1811, at a gathering of twenty or more people at the residence of John Hunt. The name of the society was entitled as “The Harmonical Library,” and the following were chosen as its first trustees: Elias Harmon, Thomas King, Amasa Sessions, Jeduthan Lamb, Jesse Copp, Lewis Smith and Amasa Kneeland.

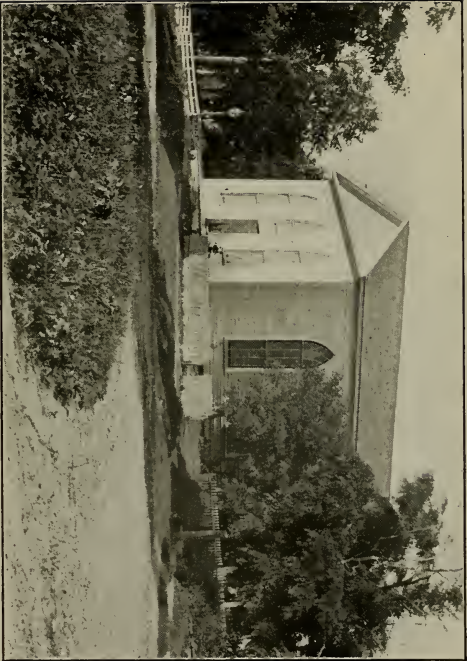
The good results flowing from the establishment of this church and library at Thorn Hill at such an early date are

noteworthy and can be seen and felt in that rural community even to this day. Dr. Parsons, in speaking of the Thorn Hill community says: "More of her sons and daughters have entered the literary field than is usual in that amount of population. Besides others that I have mentioned as having become statesmen in the Great West, the following have been members of the New York Legislature one or more times: Daniel Baxter, S. S. Kneeland, Sidney Smith, Charles R. Vary and Lewis Smith (three times); the last also once held the office of Sheriff of the County of Onondaga." It is to be regretted that Dr. Parsons did not mention the names of others who grew up in this Thorn Hill community subject to the influence of this Church and Public Library, and who have gone forth to make an honorable record for themselves in the learned professions and in the business pursuits of the world. Among others besides those already named, who should be mentioned in this connection are the names of William Smith, who became a lawyer, college graduate, and successful business man, but who died early of asiatic cholera; Stephen and Job L. Smith, two college graduates and distinguished physicians; Stella Kneeland, missionary to India; Amasa Spencer Kneeland, Baptist minister; Hon. A. Judson Kneeland, lawyer; Dr. Jonathan Kneeland, a distinguished physician of Onondaga County from whose comments on Thorn Hill people we have already quoted; Horace Kneeland, sculptor; John Sessions, a lawyer of Brooklyn, New York; Alonzo Sessions, Lieutenant Governor of the State of Michigan, Member of the State Legislature, and also of the State Constitutional Convention of the latter State, and a Bank President and successful business man; two or more of Elder Harmon's boys whose names are not known, also attained eminence in professional and business life; and undoubtedly many others whose names are unknown to the writer. It is much to be regretted that the moral influence of this church, the incentive to study and to higher literary attainments emanating from this public library established at such an early date cannot be better told and described at this writing.

On the 25th day of August, 1829, a religious society was incorporated in the Village of Borodino under the name of the "First Religious Society of the Village of Borodino," of which Merrit Leonard, John Baxter, Dyer Coe, Charles



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Vary, Benjamin Trumbull and Ira Coe were the first trustees. George Dickson, Jr., John H. Fargo and Ransom Howard were additional names mentioned in said letters of incorporation. This society, according to statements made by Simon B. Wallace, built a church building in which services were held for a number of years, and owing to want of membership was finally abandoned as a place of worship; the building has since been occupied and used as a town hall and a place for public gatherings in the Village of Borodino.

October 18, 1853, the Methodist people in Borodino and that vicinity who prior to that date had been meeting in the school house and other places met and were duly incorporated under the name of the "Borodino Methodist Episcopal Church," with Isaac Harris, William Hayford, Isaac Morrell, Charles Ferry and William Cowan as its first board of trustees. Mr. S. B. Wallace says, this society at the time of its incorporation purchased a church building in the Village of Skaneateles, took it down, and rebuilt it in this village where it stands to-day and is still used as a church building by this society. This society and the M. E. Society at Spafford "Corners" have for many years been presided over by a minister assigned to them by the M. E. Conference of this district as one charge; the minister residing formerly at Spafford Corners, but latterly in the Village of Borodino. Like most country religious societies neither of these two Methodist societies have the power and influence that they once had.

The members of the Methodist Episcopal Church in Spafford Hollow were incorporated on the 5th day of March, 1834, under the name of "The Spafford Hollow Methodist Episcopal Society," and William O'Farrell, Esq., David B. Boutell, Elias Jacobs, Jonas Terbush and Isaac Smith were chosen the first Board of Trustees. The same year a church edifice was built on the following described real estate, which was conveyed to said Board of Trustees by Isaac Smith and wife Lucy, on the 9th of January, 1835, as follows: Being part of Lot 23, Tully, and bounded on the east by the highway running northerly and southerly through said lot and Hollow—on the south by a cross road running easterly and westerly across said Hollow, and uniting with said first highway—and on the west and north by

parallel lines to said two highways so as to contain said church edifice and one-half acre of land. The Spafford Hollow Cemetery is located only a short distance from this church. Among the early active members of this church society were the O'Farrells, Boutells, Jacobs and Smith families, and the family of Benejah Cleveland. Since these families have died out or moved away the active spirit of the church has been much impaired.

About fifty years ago the Methodist Episcopal Society of Cold Brook built a church building, opposite the Cold Brook Cemetery, but no articles of incorporation have ever been filed or recorded in the Clerk's Office of Onondaga County, and no deed of conveyance has ever been recorded granting the church lands to any Board of Trustees, although these lands have been excepted on one or two occasions from deeds granting surrounding lands. Among the active church members of this society in former years were the families of Justus N. Knapp, the Churchills, Tafts, Maxons, and Crosleys. The present state of this society is not known.

A Baptist Church Society at Spafford Corners was incorporated under the name of "Spafford Baptist Society," March 21st, 1817, in which John Babcock, John Hutchens, Asahel Roundy, Amos Palmer, and John Knapp were named as trustees, but the society never had any church building, or left any records, except these articles of incorporation. What is supposed to be the same society was afterwards re-incorporated on the 7th day of May, 1838, with Phineas Hutchens, Cornelius Williamson and Samuel French as trustees, and Asahel Roundy and John C. Harrington also named in said Articles of Incorporation. This society under its re-incorporation built a church building in the year 1839, which was dedicated January 8, 1840. Among the stated ministers who presided over this church were Elders Benjamin Andrews and Alanson Boughton. After a season of prosperity and usefulness this society went into decline and finally failed for want of membership. The church building was sold in 1860 to Uriah Roundy, Esq., who converted it into a store for the sale of general merchandise, and it is now in use for that purpose on the old church site at the "Corners."

This church edifice was, during the early forties, the

scene of a remarkable disputation between the two resident ministers of the Methodist and Baptist denominations, on the subject of baptism by immersion as an essential saving ordinance. People came from far and near to attend these meetings, which continued for several days, and at the end, as usual in such controversial debates, both sides retired feeling that each had won a great victory over the other side. One thing is certain, baptism by immersion may have been efficacious in saving the members of this church from eternal damnation, for all or nearly all have gone to their final reward, yet it did not save the church buildings from subsequent desecration as a place of religious worship.

On the 22nd day of August, 1829, a religious society was incorporated at Spafford "Corners" under the name of the "First Presbyterian Society in Spafford," and Erastus Barber, Ellis Taft, and Silas Cox were made trustees. Uriah Roundy, in speaking of this church society, says: "I have no knowledge of this society, and yet I knew all the men named in the Articles of Incorporation. Erastus Barber resided at the head of the Buck Tail road where Seymour Norton subsequently resided; he was once a Member of Assembly in the New York Legislature in this State. This society never had any meeting house, and must have 'died a borning.'" "

MORMON EXODUS.

At an early period in the history of this town there were a number of persons residing here who were known as Free Will Baptist, and were presided over by Elder John Gould, who resided in a log house standing east of the Homer road, on Lot 31, Tully, near the present residence of Mrs. Norton, widow of Erastus Norton. This society was duly incorporated December 13, 1825, with James Avery, Shadrack Roundy, Thomas Smith, John Lawrence, Rogers Ide and Alexander R. Jackson as its first board of trustees. At the meeting held for the purpose of incorporation, Daniel Owen, a soldier of the Revolution, presided as Chairman, and James Smith acted as Secretary. In the year 1828, this society built a church building on the hill east of Spafford Corners, adjoining district school house No. 2, on premises conveyed to it by Asahel Roundy and Hannah, his wife, February 12, 1828. The Board of Trustees at that

time were Roswell Prindle, Shadrack Roundy, James Avery and Zerah Pulsifer. At this time this was the only church building in this portion of the town, the society had a large and respectable membership, and the church gave promise of a long and useful career, but about 1832 or 1833 it was struck by a proselyting wave from the newly discovered Mormon religion, and a large share of its membership, under the lead of its pastor, Elder Gould, were carried from the fold of the church into the embraces of the new faith. Among those who are said to have severed their connection with the church at this time, sold their possessions in town, were rebaptized into the new faith, and who departed from this State with the Mormons' movement, were the following: Elder John Gould, Zerah Pulsifer, and his brother Daniel Pulsifer, Shadrack Roundy and Uriah Roundy, his brother, Elias Humphrey, Mayhew Hillman, James Oliver, Mr. Ensign, and Mr. Cheeney and their several families; also Mrs. Maxson, Miss Maria Ripley and Miss Maria Brown. Some of these people separated themselves from the Mormon movement, on or before the Nauvoo incident, which resulted in the death of Joseph Smith, the Prophet, and settled in the Great West; among whom were Elder Gould, Uriah Roundy and Maria Ripley; but the greater number of them finally settled in Salt Lake City, where their descendants remain to this day. It was not possible for this church to recover from this exodus of membership into a movement like this, so the church went quickly into decline. After the church building had stood open for a long time to the weather and been a place where cattle in the fields had found shelter, it was finally sold in the early forties to Captain Asahel Roundy, who moved it near the Homer road, south of the "Corners," and converted it into the dwelling house lately occupied by Seymour Norton.

When this building was first erected, the frame being a large and heavy one, nearly every person in town turned out and assisted in the "raising." After the plates and rafters were in place, as was common in those times, one of the men assisting climbed up, and standing on the upper plate in his stocking feet, broke a bottle of whiskey upon it, dubbing the building "God's Barn." This at the time raised a great laugh, but many in after years recalled the prophetic character of the incident.

Maria Brown, named above among the Mormon proselytes, was a daughter of Judge Brown, of Scott, N. Y., and a sister of Porter Brown, a present resident of that place. After leaving Spafford she married Elder Ward, a Mormon leader, and finally settled in Salt Lake City, Utah, where she remained for several years, but ultimately renounced Mormonism and returned to the States, where she wrote and published, in 1857, the work entitled "Female Life Among the Mormons."

The following are condensed extracts from that work relating to Spafford people, and incidents which occurred in this town. "My early life was passed in that beautiful and picturesque region which borders Skaneateles Lake, in the State of New York. Circumstances over which I had no control determined me to abandon my home and privately visit relatives of my mother, who were living near Albany. For that purpose I left the house of A—— J—— (Alexander R. Jackson, a member of the Free Will Baptist Church?) residing in Spafford, Onondaga County, New York, and took the stage for Utica in the same State. Holding a conversation with a middle age gentleman in the stage, (Elder Ward her future husband), I said: Many people of my acquaintance in Scott and Spafford have embraced Mormonism. There was a family in Cold Brook by the name of Cheeney, suggested the man. "Yes," I answered, "Mr. Cheeney's family were considered very fine people, were members of the Free Will Baptist Church, and the Pulsifers too; Pulsifer, the "Swamp Angel," (Uriah Roundy says the "Swamp Angel" was a Mr. Ensign instead of Pulsifer), and I burst into a laugh. There were two families by the name of Pulsifer, both believers in Mormonism. A child died in one of these families, and the Mormons gave out that on a certain night an Angel would come and carry the body to Heaven. The time appointed arrived, the relatives of the child were assembled, when a figure in white and with small bells attached to its garments, appeared. A party of unbelievers lying in ambush immediately gave chase. The figure ran for the neighboring swamp, but was pursued, taken and stripped of its angelic robes, and proved to be Pulsifer, the uncle of the deceased child."

"False," said my companion.

"I assure you it was the truth, I continued, and poor

old Mr. Humphrey was deceived by them too. The old man was determined to be right if possible. He was first a member of the Free Will Baptist; then he joined the Seventh Day Baptist, left them, and was baptized to the faith and order of Mormon; subsequently, he deserted the Mormons and united with the Baptist again, and then finally returned to the Mormons, by whom he was dipped seven times in succession, on account of his apostacy. He remained faithful to them after that, but always observed the Seventh Day.

"Were you ever acquainted with Elder Gould?" he inquired.

"I have seen him, he used to preach in Spafford."

"He did and with great acceptability, yet he joined the Mormons.

"And poor Mrs. Maxson was induced to leave her husband and children and go with them; and Maria Ripley, a young woman, left her aged and infirm parents and went off, too.

"My companion informed me that his name was Ward, and that he was a man of property and a widower with two children, that he was well acquainted with many people in Scott, my native place, and had frequently heard the name of my father mentioned as a citizen of exalted reputation."

About the time of the Mormon exodus a Mrs. Gale, the wife of a respected citizen of Spafford, was a subject of "second sight," frequently saw visions, and claimed to hold daily intercourse with the spirits of her departed friends; on one of these occasions she saw and conversed with the departed spirit of a Mrs. Mapes, who exacted a promise on her part to intercede in behalf of her two young lady daughters, whom she exclaimed, were in danger of ruin by the improper influence over them of Elder John Gould, Pastor of the Free Will Baptist Church. This delicate duty Mrs. Gale discharged by entering the church, during divine service, and in the persence of the worshippers denounced the conduct of their pastor in reference to the Mapes girls.

Mrs. Gale, afterwards describing her experience on this occasion, said: "For several days after being charged by the spirit mother with this delicate task, I was greatly oppressed and wished to escape the duty, but when I entered the church door my burden rolled away, and as I opened my mouth, language came freely, and a calmness came over my

feeling, such as I had been a stranger to since I first saw and was charged by the spirit of Mrs. Mapes.

Uriah Roundy, Esq., in speaking of Elder John Gould when pastor of this church, said he was once tried by a church tribunal in this old church building, for alleged improper conduct on his part in kissing Mrs. Alexander R. Jackson, one of the parishioners of the church, and humorously explains that after a long and protracted trial, he was finally acquitted, because the church tribunal was unable to determine from the evidence whether the alleged kiss was a "carnal or spiritual one."

SHADRACK ROUNDY.

The following abbreviated sketch of Shadrack Roundy, and his two sons Lorenzo and Jared, was taken from a more extended account written by Elizabeth D. Roundy, wife of Jared.

"Shadrack Roundy resided in the town of Spafford, New York, where he heard of the Revelations of God to Joseph Smith, and embraced the Gospel as taught by Our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. Soon after he moved to Pennsylvania, and from thence to Kirtland, Ohio, where he assisted in building a temple to the Most High.

"After receiving blessings and ordinations, he went from there to Caldwell County, Missouri, where he received a Commission as Captain of a Company of fifty. He was afterwards made Captain of Police, and also chosen aide de camp to Lieutenant General Joseph Smith, in the Nauvoo Legion. About this time he became a member of General Smith's life and body guard. After the Nauvoo persecutions he was chosen one of the pioneers to search for a new home, and subsequently was appointed Major and President of the Second Division of Mormon Colonists that crossed the Plains. Arriving at Salt Lake City he was made Bishop of a Ward, elected a member of the first Legislature, and subsequently of the High Council. He was a man of influence among the people and stood high in the Council of Leaders of Latter Day Saints. He died in Salt Lake City."

LORENZO WESLEY ROUNDY.

"Lorenzo Wesley Roundy, second son of Shadrack, was

born in Spafford, June 18, 1819, and shared all the hardships and vicissitudes of his parents, before arriving at Salt Lake City. At the latter place he was a member of the Nauvoo Legion, and took part in all the Indian Wars of the Mormon Colony. He was made Superintendent of the Co-operative Mercantile Institution at Kanarra, Iron County, Utah, was two or three times elected to the Legislature, was ordained Bishop in 1860, and finally made President of the Southern Colony of Mormons. He was drowned, crossing the Colorado River with a party of Mormon emigrants, May 24, 1876."

JARED CURTIS ROUNDY.

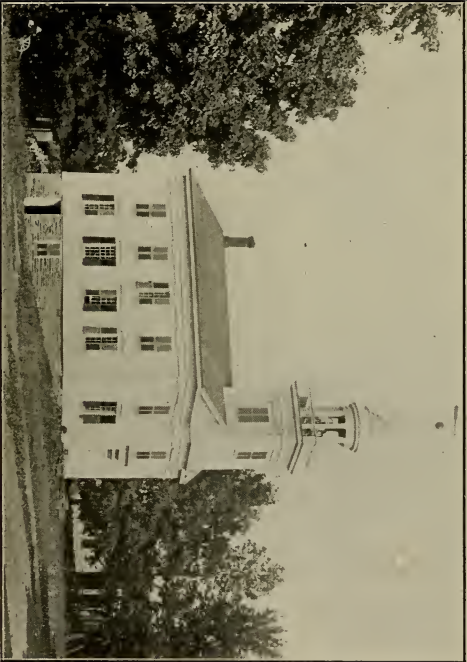
"Jared Curtis Roundy, third son of Shadrack, was born in Spafford and moved with his parents to Salt Lake City. Like his brother Lorenzo, he also took part in all the Indian Wars, was at one time Sheriff of Summit County, was ordained Bishop of Wanship, and at one time was Justice of the Peace. He was a man of influence among the Mormons, and was generally respected by every one. He died in Arizona, May 21, 1895."

HON. WASHINGTON ROUNDY.

Hon. Washington Roundy, son of Uriah Roundy, was born in the town of Spafford, September 26th, 1824, and left that place with his father during the Mormon exodus. After the Nauvoo incident his father separated from the main branch of the Mormon Church, renounced the doctrine of polygamy, and settled with his family at or near Manteno, Iowa, where his son Washington grew to Manhood and became a man of wealth and prominence. By occupation Washington Roundy became a farmer, and owned and managed a farm of over a thousand acres of land. He was a man of marked character and wielded a strong political influence in his adopted State; among other political offices held by him was Member of the Legislature of the State of Iowa.

SPAFFORD UNION MEETING HOUSE.

On the 14th day of April, 1838, a number of religious people of different denominational beliefs, met at the school house on the hill east of Spafford "Corners," for the pur-



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pose of organizing a society, preliminary to building a church building at that place. At that meeting a constitution was adopted, which will explain the wants of the people and the purposes of the meeting better than any statement we can give on the subject.

“CONSTITUTION OF THE SPAFFORD UNION MEETING HOUSE SOCIETY.”

“Whereas, we the subscribers, inhabitants of the town of Spafford, feeling desirous of having some suitable place for public worship, have resolved, at a public meeting held for that purpose on the 14th day of April, A. D., 1838, to form ourselves into a society called the ‘Spafford Union Society,’ of which society every person subscribing a sum shall be a member thereof, and own rights and privileges therein according to the amount so subscribed by such persons. The object of the society is to build and keep in repair a meeting house. Said meeting house shall be called the “Spafford Union Meeting House” and shall be situated at Spafford Corners, on a site where the blacksmith and wagon shop of G. Lewis now stands. Said shops are to be removed and the site purchased by said Union Society. Said meeting house shall be finished off in a good workmanlike manner, on a plan to be adopted by a Committee to be appointed by the subscribers for that purpose.

“There shall be Trustees appointed by the subscribers according to law, whose duty it shall be to see that said meeting house is kept in repair, and to transact all business appertaining to said Society. Said Trustees shall apportion the time of preaching among the several denominations in manner as follows, viz.:

“Every Gospel Denomination, a majority of whose male members who meet at Spafford Corners for public worship, and who may join in this Society, shall have the privilege of having stated preaching in said house. All other denominations shall be considered as transient preachers. Every Gospel Denomination shall have the privilege of preaching in said house; but no transient preacher shall interfere with the stated preaching of any denomination, without the consent of such denomination.

“It is understood that whenever any Quarterly Meeting Association or funeral is proposed to be held in said house,

every denomination whose time the above mentioned meetings shall encroach upon, shall give up that part of the time for use of such meeting. All rights owned by members of this Society shall be transferable. It is hereby understood that no denomination shall occupy more than an equal part of the time, provided the other societies, who are members of this Union, wish to occupy an equal part of the time.

“ This Constitution shall not be altered or amended without the consent of at least three-fourth of the subscribers.”

At a meeting held the 30th of April, 1838, for the purpose said Society was duly incorporated under the name of the “ Spafford Union Society ” and Joseph Bulfinch, John R. Lewis, Martin E. Knapp, Samuel Gale, Joseph Cole, Jacob W. Darling and John Collins were chosen its first Board of Trustees. At a subsequent meeting of the Board of Trustees, by ballot it determined that John R. Lewis and Samuel Gale should hold office for one year, Joseph Bulfinch and Jacob W. Darling for two years, and Joseph Cole, Martin E. Knapp and John Collins for three years.

In the book of minutes of this Society, under date of April 30, 1838, when said Society was incorporated, is the following:

“ Now for the purpose of carrying the foregoing plan, (meaning the constitution above quoted) into operation, We, the subscribers do hereby agree and bind ourselves to pay the sum set opposite our respective names, to the Trustees of said Union Society; one-half of the sum subscribed to be paid by the first day of January next, and the remainder to be paid one year from the first day of January next.

Spafford, April 30, 1838.

John Collins	\$ 100.00	Levi Hurlbnt	\$ 25.00
Thos. B. Anderson.....	50.00	Russel Tinkham.....	10.00
Joseph Cole	50.00	John Baxter	10.00
Sylvanus N. Grout.....	50.00	Titus Haight	5.00
Gershom Lewis	50.00	John Grout	50.00
Joseph Bulfinch	75.00	Willard Doty	15.00
Alexander Hill.....	6.00	Edwin S. Edwards...	10.00
John R. Lewis	100.00	Timothy Owen	5.00
Easten Cole	100.00	Moses Pressy	5.00
Silas Randall	25.00	Samuel Gale	20.00
Russel M. Burdick	20.00	James Mellen	5.00

Odin Brown	10.00	Bezaleel W. Taft.....	2.00
Alonzo Sanford	10.00	Peres Miner	5.00
Levi Applebee	20.00	Nelson Isdell	1.50
Horace Pease	10.00	Martin E. Knapp.....	10.00
Isaac Day	10.00	Nelson Berry	18.00
John Fisher	5.00	Whipple C. Har-	
John Harrington	5.00	rington	5.00
James H. Norton	10.00	Erastus Hays	10.00
Hiram Mason.....	5.00	A. M. Roundy	3.00
Orrin Town	5.00	Benjamin Stanton ..	25.00
Jonathan Ripley	5.00	Homan Barber	5.00
Randall Palmer	2.00	Emily Barber	2.00
John L. Ripley	5.00	Annis Barber	3.00
Jonas TerBush	3.00	Titus French	3.00
William Billings	5.00	Stephen Crane	15.00
Stephen Randall	10.00	David T. Lyon	20.00
Edward Scribens.....	5.00	Rufus Breed	5.00
John Ford	5.00	Phillip Fisher	15.00
Lydius D. Whaley.....	15.00	Elias Davis	10.00
Oliver S. Smith	1.00	Leonard Melvin	2.00
Zebulon Davis	2.00	Franklin Smith	2.00
Nathan Palmer	10.00	Richard Gale	5.00
Jonathan Johnson	20.00	Kortright Knapp	5.00
Hiram W. Hays	15.00	Zara Berry	10.00
		John R. Connine	10.00
Total			\$1,170.00

In accordance with the suggestion made in the foregoing Constitution, Joseph Bulfinch, John R. Lewis, Martin E. Knapp, Joseph Cole, Jacob W. Darling and John Collins, Trustees of Spafford Union Meeting House, received a deed from Gersham Lewis and Mehitable, his wife, of one-quarter of an acre of land, known as the wagon and blacksmith shop of G. Lewis, bounded on the east and south, by the north and south highways, and on the north and west by lands of Joseph Cole. Said deed of conveyance was dated July 7, 1838, consideration \$75.00, and acknowledged the same day before Daniel R. Robinson, Commissioner of Deeds, but not recorded. In the years 1838 and 1839 said Board of Trustees erected the present meeting house, on said lot, and had the same ready for occupation in the Spring of 1840.

April 30, 1839, Russel M. Burdick and Lewis C. Davis were elected trustees of said Society, in the place of John R. Lewis and Samuel Gale, whose term of office had then expired.

Under the date of April 30, 1840, the following entry, in the handwriting of Dr. John Collins, appears in the book of minutes of said Society:

"At an annual meeting of the members of the Union Meeting House Society, held at the school house in District No. 2, pursuant to a legal notice, and adjourned to the Union Meeting House this 30th day of April, A. D., 1840, Joseph Cole was appointed Chairman and John Collins Secretary of said meeting. Then elected by ballot, Silas Randall and Benjamin Stanton to fill the vacancies of Joseph Bulfinch and Jacob W. Darling. The resignation of Lewis C. Davis was accepted and Solomon S. Rowe was elected to fill the vacancy. Thomas B. Anderson was unanimously elected salesman to sell slips in the Union Meeting House, *pro tem*. The following is a list of the purchasers, and number and price of slips purchased:

Hiram Hayes	No. 1,	price \$ 32.00
Solomon S. Rowe	" 2,	" 32.00
Gershom Lewis	" 6,	" 60.00
Joseph Bulfinch	" 32,	" 110.00
Easten Cole	" 12,	" 74.50
Joseph Bulfinch	" 16,	" 60.00
Moses Pressey	" 44,	" 31.75
John R. Lewis	" 11,	" 70.00
John R. Lewis	" 8,	" 70.00
John R. Lewis	" 30,	" 95.00
John Collins	" 7,	" 72.50
John Collins	" 33,	" 95.00
Russel M. Burdick	" 18,	" 51.00
Zenos Tinkham	" 3,	" 50.00
Silas Randall	" 22,	" 40.00
Erastus Hays	" 4	" 50.00
Silas Randall	" 20	" 45.00
John Grout.....	" 29,	" 95.00
Levi Hurlbut	" 34,	" 95.00
Samuel Gale	" 17,	" 50.00
S. N. Grout.....	" 35,	" 90.00
S. N. Grout.....	" 15,	" 60.00

Edwin S. Edwards	“ 13,	“	70.00
David T. Lyon	“ 5,	“	60.00
Lemuel Bessey	“ 36,	“	90.00
J. Johnson and A. Burdick.....	“ 19,	“	46.75
H. Anthony and J. H. Norton	“ 21,	“	40.00
Stephen Randall and R. Palmer.....	“ 43,	“	31.00
Homen Barber	“ 23,	“	30.00
A. Hill and Wm. I. Skelley.....	“ 10,	“	70.00
Lewis C. Davis	“ 37,	“	85.00
Aaron Brown (half slips)	“ 39,	“	70.00
Jeremith Cotterell (one-half slip).....	“ 38,	“	85.00
Hiram Mason (one-third slip)	“ 41,	“	60.00
W. Doty and M. E. Knapp.....	“ 14,	“	70.00
Henry S. Grinnell (one-third slip).....	“ 28,	“	85.00
Stephen Crane (one-third slip).....	“ 28,	“	85.00
John R. Lewis	“ 9,	“	70.00
Coomer Anthony (one-half slip)	“ 38,	“	

ASSIGNMENTS.

“ John R. Lewis to Gersham Lewis, slip No. 9.

John R. Lewis to Anson Churchell, one-half slip No. 12.

Gershom Lewis to Abigail Stringham, slip No. 9.

“ Joseph Cole, Chairman. John Collins, Secretary.”

From a pencil memoranda made on the margin of the book of minutes of said Union Meeting House Society in the handwriting of John Collins, it appears there were twenty slips in the body of the meeting house and twenty-four slips under the galleries on the sides of the house, making forty-four slips in all.

In the book of minutes of this church society, in addition to the foregoing report, appears from year to year a brief statement of the results of the election of trustees. This brief record continues down to the year 1889, and thereafter there is no record whatever.

This church building has now stood for upwards of sixty years, and by reason of its substantial character bids fair to stand for sixty years more. It is now the only church building at the “Corners,” or in that portion of the town in use for religious purposes. All denominations which formerly held religious services here have died out except the Methodist, and they are in the last period of dissolution; and still the people cherish with respect the old church

building, and protect it from desecration and the insidious attack of the elements. All funeral services are held in this building, and occasionally divine services are conducted here by a minister from the Borodino charge of the M. E. Church at that place. On these occasions the people attend irrespective of denominational belief. The word "Union" appears on the weather vane perched on top of the belfry of the church building, and well typifies the religious character of the people who have always worshipped in this old Meeting House.

OTHER CORPORATIONS.

A Society commonly known as the Farmers' Alliance, was organized in the Village of Borodino on the first day of January, 1871, and incorporated under the name of "Spafford Agricultural Society," with Dr. Van Dyke Tripp as President, Edwin A. Clark as Vice President, Simon B. Wallace as Recording Secretary, Aretus M. Legg as Corresponding Secretary, Otis Cross as Treasurer, and Jeremiah Olmsted, Orson B. Morton, Francis Ide, Albert E. Fulton, Moses P. Moule, and Samuel H. Stanton as Trustees. The following additional names are also mentioned in said articles of incorporation: Horace Prindle, H. L. Darling, Benjamin Monk, Ansel Grinnell, C. B. Morton, William N. Stone and Moses Crane. Mr. Uriah Roundy says there was some sort of insurance connected with this organization, but beyond this fact, and the general purpose indicated by its name, we have been unable to obtain any further information of this Society.

"The Skaneateles Lake Park Company" was duly incorporated December 4, 1888, with a capital stock of \$30,000, and time limit of fifty years, to build a hotel building on Skaneateles Lake. In the Articles of Incorporation John E. Waller, John McNamara, Martin Fennell, William F. Gregory and Lewis B. Fitch, were named as first trustees. This corporation purchased "Ten Mile Point," planted it with shade trees, built a steamboat dock, and put up a dancing pavilion; but up to the present time have not erected a hotel building. Since this incorporation, the Skaneateles Railroad and Steamboat Company, of which this company is supposed to be an adjunct, has changed hands and is now owned or controlled by William K. Niver of Syracuse, New

York; the property of this corporation is supposed to have gone into the same control. Whether the hotel building proposed will ever be built or not is an uncertainty, depending largely on the future of Skaneateles Lake as a place of summer resort.

The "Borodino Creamery Company," with a capital of \$3,000.00, was formed and incorporated February 16, 1898, with Orrin I. Hayford, Marcus Patterson, Hiram A. Colton, Francis Ide, Frank Harvey and Edgar L. Bockes, as its first Board of Trustees. This creamery is located at Borodino Village, and is still in active operation and doing a prosperous business.

Since the foregoing was written the capital stock for a new Creamery has been fully subscribed, the building of which is to be erected at Spafford Corners.

MILLS, DISTILLERIES AND FURNACES.

The first necessity of the early settler was a grist mill to grind his wheat and corn, a saw-mill to saw his lumber, and a carding and fulling mill to card his wool and prepare his cloth for domestic use. When he first penetrated the wilderness which enshrouded these Spafford Hills, the brooks and streams, which to-day seem too insignificant to be of any practical use, were full and powerful and capable of turning the machinery necessary for the use of the wheelwright, the sawyer and the clothier. Nearly as soon as the woodman's axe had made a clearing in the dense forests, then covering the land, and the early settler had erected his rude log cabin for the reception of his family, these useful conservators to his comfort and happiness sprang up along the principal brooks and streams; but as time progressed and the requirements of the people changed, these mills, once so useful, became no longer a necessity and went rapidly into decay. To-day the existence of most of them is unknown to the present occupants of the land.

About the year 1805, Amos Miner built a factory on the west side of the Skaneateles and Homer Road, in what has since been known as "Factory Gulf," for the manufacture of wheel-heads, used by farmers' wives in spinning woolen yarn. The water for this mill was conducted from a pond, well up stream, in a raceway along the northern bank of the gulf, to an overshot wheel at the factory building,

standing just west of the highway. Here Miner, in addition to wheel-heads, made wooden pails, wooden bowls, half bushel and peck measures, and various other wooden articles useful for farmers and their wives. Four or five years after the factory was in successful operation, Miner sold out his interest in the wheelhead business, which was moved elsewhere, and the factory building was ultimately converted into a carding mill and clothing works.

Among the persons who subsequently carried on business here as clothiers were Edmund C. Weston and William Patten, two of the son-in-laws of James Rathbun, who cleared and improved the land where the factory stood. There are many persons still living, who in their boyhood days carried wool to this mill to be carded into rolls, for their mothers to spin into woolen yarn; and probably still more who have worn garments made from fulled cloth, prepared or manufactured in these works. After a period of usefulness this mill, like all others of its kind, went into decline, finally suspended operation, and the building years ago was converted into a cider mill.

In this connection it seems proper to observe, that the women folks in olden times spun yarn from the wool shorn from their own sheep, wove it into cloth, and in many instances cut and made it into garments for the use of the major portion of the household. In these matters they were very proficient and often displayed much delicacy and skill. The bedding in use in those times was a matter which received the especial consideration of the female portion of the household. The linen sheets, woolen blankets and coverlids made by these old dames of a hundred years ago, have challenged the admiration of all women folks that have succeeded them, and will continue to do so for years yet to come. Such rich blues, and such vivid and lasting colors. Probably very few of those who look upon and admire these remaining specimens of feminine art of olden times, have any personal knowledge of the manner of obtaining these beautiful colors, or of the old time dye tub, once so familiar an object, standing in a corner of the living room. In those times a spinning wheel, a reel, a pair of swifts, a loom, and a dye tub were deemed a very necessary part of the outfit of any household; and as the women manufactured cloth and made the garments of the

household, Miner's Patent Wheelhead and the carding machine were two very useful inventions in lightening her labors.

In about the year 1814, Oliver Hyde, a soldier of the Revolution, built a sawmill in Factory Gulf, on Lot 69, Marcellus, above Miner's Pond, which supplied water for his wheelhead factory.

When Amos Miner sold out his interests in Factory Gulf, he moved to Lot 76, Marcellus, where he erected a grist mill at the head of the Gulf, leading from near the center of said lot easterly to Otisco Lake, as has been before fully described in a paragraph relating to Miner under the head of "Early Settlers." This mill has been continued in one form or another until the present day. Near this mill was erected, at a very early date, a sawmill which was in operation at a comparatively recent date.

About the year 1813, William Marsh erected a carding mill and clothing works, west of the highway and north of the stream at the head of the Pudding Mill Gulf, on Lot 76, Marcellus, near Miner's Grist Mill. Among the names of those who have been interested in this mill and works besides Mr. Marsh, are Eleazer Hillebert, Charles Richards, Jr., Richard S. Eggleston, William D. Potter, Roger Tolls, Jonathan S. Niles, Ichabod Sheldon and Ebenezer Failing. These works went to pieces many years ago and very few persons, if any now living, have any personal knowledge in reference to them.

On the east side of the same highway, and north of the Pudding Mill Gulf, was erected before 1819, by Alexander Webster, a distillery. Dr. Jonathan Kneeland, in speaking of this distillery said, "it did not last very long, as its owner soon boiled himself to death in his own mash tub." The widow, Barbara Webster, conveyed away the lands on which the distillery stood in 1825.

At a very early date the little huddle about Miner's mill gave promise of something more than it is at the present date. Eleazer Hillebert had a blacksmith shop there, David T. Lyon had a shoe shop, and there undoubtedly were other industries at that place. Borodino Village ultimately absorbed all that at one time seemed to give it promise of a better future.

Amasa Kneeland, at a very early date, carried on business

as a tanner and currier, on the northwest corner of this same Lot 76, Marcellus, near the Borodino and Thorn Hill road. David T. Lyon, also, in after years, carried on this same business at Spafford Corners; whether he carried on this business while residing at the Pudding Mill huddle is not known.

Seventy-five or a hundred years ago public sentiment, in reference to the use of intoxicating liquors, was different from what it is at the present, and distilleries were deemed more of a necessity at that time, when the custom was to drink whiskey instead of beer. There were no restrictions in those times on the manufacture of whiskey; consequently it was very cheap, three cents a glass, and pure, as there was no object in its adulteration; and distilleries for its manufacture were everywhere. Before the year 1819, Jonathan Berry erected a distillery, in what was then known as the Stone Gulf, below the Little Falls, and a short distance east of School House No. 1, in the Nunnery neighborhood. This was apparently run by a man named Ephraim Colby. Mr. Berry subsequently conveyed away the lands where the distillery stood to John K. Stone, in the year 1832, and nothing more is known of these works. In one of the deeds of the surrounding lands appears the following reservation, being a description of the distillery lands. "Reserving distillery land as follows: Beginning at the head of Little Falls and running thence westerly along the brink to the south bank of said Gulf to the Narrows — thence across the narrows to the brink of the north bank — thence easterly along said brink of north bank to the round rock — thence to the head of the Falls — and thence to the place of beginning. Also a log house standing on the brink of the Gulf (lately occupied by Ephraim Colby); also a road to pass and repass from said distillery in a north-easterly direction without interruption."

April 19, 1806, Dr. Archibald Farr purchased fifty acres of land on Lot 12, Tully, at the foot of the Bucktail Gulf, on the west side of Spafford Hollow, of Judge William Cooper, the father of James Fenimore Cooper, the great American novelist, and author of the *Leather Stocking Tales*, for the expressed consideration of one hundred silver dollars. At the foot of the lower Falls Dr. Farr, on this purchase, erected the same year a grist mill; being the first

of its kind in the original town of Spafford. This mill went out of existence soon after its erection, probably destroyed by a Spring freshet. Uriah Roundy, born in Spafford July 24, 1819, in speaking of this mill says: "The Archibald Farr mill was built and out of existence before I can remember. A man by the name of Earl Barrows built a second mill at the lower end of the Bucktail Gulf about 1848, or 1850. This was a feed mill only, and was destroyed by a Spring freshet."

In a deed dated May 11, 1844, by Mathew Morse (Moss) of Spafford, to Ebenezer Morse of Homer, mention is made of a furnace once existing on the Dr. Farr land, at the foot of the lower Falls, at the mouth of the Bucktail Gulf. Uriah Roundy says this furnace was out of existence before he had any memory on the subject; and no one seems to be able to tell who ran it, if not Dr. Farr, on whose land it was built.

On the top of the upper Falls, in the Bucktail Gulf, Capt. Asahel Roundy built a sawmill about 1840; a few feet south of this mill, Dr. Zachariah Derbyshire, at an earlier date erected and carried on a furnace; and a hundred rods or more further up stream, near the upper end of the Bucktail Gulf and road, Capt. Asahel Roundy, before 1828, erected a carding mill and clothing works. The latter is the same mill from which the machinery was stolen and carried away, as related in a prior paragraph of this work, under the title, "Early Settlers." Uriah Roundy, in a letter dated January 9, 1899, in speaking of this carding mill, furnace and sawmill says: "The carding mill at the top of the Bucktail must have been built about 1820. I helped tear it down and move the building to Spafford Corners before I was married, and that was fifty-six years ago. I remember when it was doing business, I have carried wool and cloth there to be finished. Somewhere between 1828 and 1830 a man by the name of Worthington ran it. "The Furnace above the upper Falls of the Bucktail was built soon after the carding mill; I have nothing to show when it was built. I think Dr. Derbyshire built it. I remember that John Beeler, a one-legged soldier, had a cannon cast there to celebrate the Fourth of July; I was probably eight or nine years old at the time. It was loaded on the morning of the Fourth of July, and William Bell, a boy living with

Sumner Allen, touched it off; it burst and broke his arm, and killed a cow for James Knapp. This must have been in 1828 or 1830. I have no recollection of having been to the furnace when in operation. About the furnace at the foot of the Bucktail Gulf, I know nothing, except I have been told there was one there. There was a grist mill built there since I can remember; a man by the name of Barrows built it, but it did not run long; it was only a feed mill.

“The sawmill at the upper Falls on the Bucktail was built by my father, Asahel Roundy, about 1840. My brother Charles and myself did most of the blasting of rocks, necessary to fix a place for the mill and flume. This was in 1840 just before Charles left home. Father owned the land where the sawmill, furnace and carding mill stood, ever since I can remember.”

This saw mill, like all the other early mills in town, had an upright saw, standing in a wooden frame, which was raised up or down when sawing a log or board, the power came from an undershot wheel, which in this instance was suspended at the mouth of the flume, several feet down and over the edge of the Falls, which were seventy-five or more feet in height. The process of sawing was not a very rapid one and there was much waste of power; it required a freshet to make the mill an available one. This mill went out of use when the writer was a small boy; he can remember it when in operation, a man by the name of Darius Plummer acted as sawyer at that time.

In 1810 Josiah Walker built a sawmill in Cold Brook, on the cross road running east from the main road, north of the school house. It was in the mill pond to this mill that Franklin Weston, Orange Norton and Lucius Pease, three small boys aged respectively 14, 13 and 9 years, were drowned June 24th, 1816. Franklin Weston was the youngest brother of Mrs. Asahel Roundy; and after the accident, was brought home to the residence of Mrs. Roundy, on horseback by her husband; Orange Norton was an older brother of Seymour Norton, who recently died at Spafford Corners at great age; and Lucius Pease was the oldest son of Horace Pease, one of the early settlers in Cold Brook. This accident at the time caused a profound sensation, which has been more enduring than the mill itself, which

would have been long ago forgotten but for this terrible calamity.

The next sawmill erected on the Cold Brook stream was built in 1826 by Peter Picket, about a mile south of Walker's Mill, on a cross road leading east from the main road, just south of the Cold Brook M. E. Church and Cemetery. This mill, very soon after its erection, was transferred to Bezael Taft, and ever since has been known as Taft's Mill. The upright saw, formerly in use years ago, has been replaced by a circular one, and the mill is now, or was at a very recent date, in use, whenever it could find anything to do.

Soon after the sale of the Taft mill, as above stated, Peter Picket built another sawmill higher up stream, between the Walker and Taft locations, on a cross road leading east from the school house. This mill was afterwards owned and known as the Orren Cary's Mill; this, like the Walker mill, went out of existence years ago.

About 1830 Dr. David Mellen built a grist mill, a few rods south and down stream from Taft's saw mill; this was burned in 1852 and a feed mill was erected in its place by John P. Taft in 1863. The latter mill is still in operation and owned by the builder.

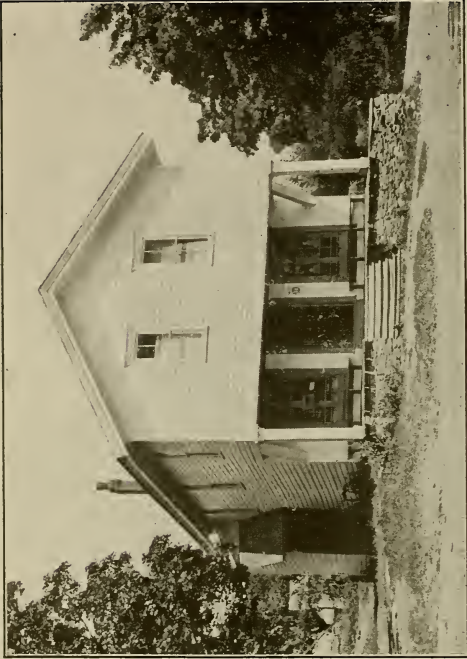
At an early date David Carver built a saw mill in Spafford Hollow on lot 34, Tully; this was afterwards operated by Lorenzo Boutell; on the same stream, leading into Otisco Lake, near the northern line of said lot 34, as early as 1822, was a carding mill and clothing works, supposed to have been built by Samuel Draper; and still further down stream at the first cross roads leading easterly across the Hollow, was a saw mill, at one time operated by Frank Smith, son of Ira Smith. These mills and works have long passed out of existence, and even the memory of them is confined to a very few of the older inhabitants of the town. At Bromley, in the town of Tully, a little huddle formerly known as Shawville, near the Spafford line, there was a grist mill and saw mill at a very early date; these were in operation in recent years, as well as a sawmill on Lot 13, Tully, in the town of Otisco, just over the Spafford line, on a cross road leading easterly from the Bucktail road. Of late years there has been very little use for these mills, once so flourishing and so necessary to the early settler.

TAVERNS, STORES, SHOPS, POTASHIRES,
TANNERIES.

The first merchant at Spafford Corners was Jared Babcock, who came first to Scott, Cortland County, N. Y., in 1804, probably from Leyden, Mass., where most of the Babcocks in that place came from, and from there to Spafford, where he opened a general store, in 1809. The building occupied by him is supposed to have been located on a half acre of ground owned by John Babcock, also from Scott, situate on the west side of the Skaneateles and Homer road, between the present blacksmith shop of John Pendergast and the residence lately occupied by Parmenus Norton. Mr. Babcock conducted this store for a short time, sold out to Anthony Mason, and moved to Homer, N. Y.

Mr. Mason conveyed his interest in this store property, December 12, 1822, to Isaac Knapp, who in connection with his brother, James D. Knapp, carried on a general merchandise business at the same place until about 1827 or 1828, when they failed and were sold out by Sheriff. The store property was conveyed by that officer January 16, 1829, at which time Joseph R. Berry was in occupation as a general merchant at that place. From that time forward Mr. Berry carried on business there, until his new store was in readiness for occupation, which was erected by him on the northeast corner of the cross roads at the "Corners" in 1831. The old building then went into decline and was not occupied for mercantile purposes afterwards. At the raising of the frame of the new store building it was christened, according to the custom of the times, "The Proud Farmers' Ruin." The new building has been occupied subsequent to Mr. Joseph R. Berry by the following merchants: Nelson Berry, Zach. Berry, Thomas B. Anderson, Levi Hurlbut, Asahel M. Roundy, James Churchell, T. Maxson Foster, and John G. Van Benschoten, the present occupant.

Lauren Hotchkiss, a brother-in-law of Captam Asahel Roundy, opened a store for the sale of general merchandise on the southwest corner of the same cross roads at the Corners, in 1810. The land on which this store stood was subsequently occupied after 1840 by the Baptist Church; but before it went into occupation of that society, and subsequently to Mr. Hotchkiss, these lands were owned by Dr.



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Ashbel Searl (subsequently of Otisco), Thomas Stevens, John Evans and Nelson Berry; but whether any of them had a store there is not known.

About 1867, after the Baptist Society became extinct, Uriah Roundy purchased the church site and converted the church building into a store for the sale of general merchandise, for which purpose it has been in use ever since. The merchants who have occupied this reconstructed church building for store purposes since 1867 are: Uriah Roundy, Benjamin McDaniels, George King, Caleb E. King and Andrew Lieber and son, the present occupants.

Early in the forties, Jonathan F. Woodworth opened a store at the "Center," in a building on the west side of the road subsequently occupied by Samuel Purchase as a dwelling house. Soon afterwards he erected a new store building on the east side of the road and just south of the hotel at Spafford Corners, where he carried on a general mercantile business for many years. Subsequent to Mr. Woodworth's occupation this latter building was owned and used by Charles B. Lyon as a shoe shop.

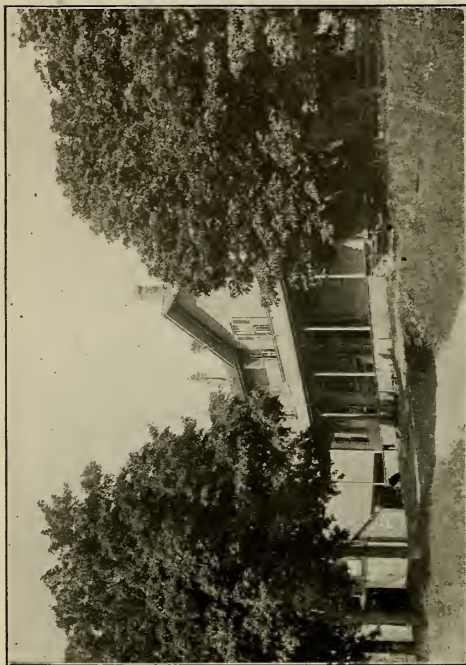
According to tradition, Dr. Archibald Farr in 1803 settled on the southwest corner of Lot 11, Tully, and the following year Isaac Hall located at Spafford Corners; and each of these gentlemen threw open their log cabins as public inns for the entertainment of guests. In the absence of direct knowledge on the subject, we infer from circumstances, that this means no more than being the first settlers in the southern portion of the town, they were obliged to and did open their houses for the entertainment of the numerous prospecting parties, seeking unoccupied lands for purchase and settlement, and for which they very probably received a compensation. Very little is known of these two public houses, but it is probable they ceased to be such as soon as the temporary demand for them passed away. In the case of Dr. Farr we are unable to verify the date of his reputed settlement, as his deed was never recorded, but as to Mr. Hall, we find his deed is dated in 1805; he may, however, have gone into occupation a year earlier under contract.

Mr. Hall's log house stood in the garden connected with the present hotel, just east of the horse barns. Mr. Hall sold out his possessions at the "Corners" in 1811, and was

followed in occupation by John Williamson from Minden, Montgomery County, N. Y., in 1814. The latter gentleman sold to Captain Asahel Roundy in 1821, who erected that year the present hotel building, then known as "Roundy's Tavern." This has been the only public house at the Corners since its erection. Mr. Roundy kept the place until 1843; then sold it to Col. William W. Legg, who has been succeeded by Thomas Babcock, Amon J. Ripley, Dr. G. Eugene Barker, John C. Van Benschoten, Andrew Lieber and Thomas McAuliffe, present occupant.

About 1828, Elias Woodworth opened a house of entertainment on the southwest corner of Lot 13, Sempronius, east of the main highway near the Center; this was succeeded by a new tavern, supposed to have been built by Thomas Babcock, just south of Woodworth's, and on Lot 14, Sempronius, known as "The Center House." This house was subsequently owned by Isaiah Buffington, Hopkins Perkins, Daniel Vail, Jr., Edward M. Allen, Amos Austin, Willis S. Nelson, John C. Tinkham and William Cowan. The building was destroyed by fire in the fifties and has never been replaced.

It would be unprofitable to attempt to recall the names of all who have worked at blacksmithing and wagon making, in the original town of Spafford, since its settlement; suffice it to say, that in olden times there were those who worked at one or both these trades at the Center, the Corners, Cold Brook, East Side Hill, and in Spafford Hollow. Early in the thirties Edward Baxter, Thomas Mitchell and Gershom Lewis opened a wagon and blacksmith shop on the site of the present Union Church at the "Corners"; their interest in this site was afterwards purchased by the Trustees of that Church, July 7, 1838, and Gersham Lewis immediately thereafter erected a new shop for the prosecution of the same business, just south of the Baptist Church, where the late Alexander Green subsequently resided; here he remained until his decease about 1850. In wagon making Mr. Lewis never had a successor at the "Corners"; but in repairing of wagons and farm implements and in smithing he had many; among whom are the following: Asa Wellington, Franklin Roundy, Alexander Green, Perry Norton and John Pendergast. At an early date Anson Churchell did a very profit-



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able business for many years as blacksmith in the northern end of the village; he died in 1849.

Just south of Mr. Churchell's blacksmith shop Mr. Loami W. Johnson had a cooper shop; he came from Cambridge, in this State, and first settled north of Borodino. From there he came to this village at an early date and carried on a profitable business as cooper until his decease, which occurred in 1861; he had no successor in business.

There never was but one resident tailor at the Corners, William Quick, who was born in London, England. He first came to Canada, and from there to this village, where he married a Miss French. He remained here a few years and then moved to Borodino. Before his coming a tailor residing in some other place came to the tavern on stated days, cut the clothes of the people, and they were then made up in the family or by a practiced seamstress who went from houses to house for that purpose. The business of a tailor and seamstress in those days was a respectable and profitable one.

Another lucrative business in olden times was that of currier and tanner and shoemaker. There are those still living who can remember when a shoemaker, carrying his kit of tools with him, went from house to house, shoeing the family from skins taken from the domestic herds, and prepared by a neighboring tanner and currier. Among the itinerant shoemakers who came to the "Corners" was David Havens, father of Clark and Ebenezer Havens. He came from Rhode Island, was a Seventh Day Baptist, and was buried in their cemetery at Scott, New York. Among the early tanners and curriers were Sumner Allen, father of William Bulfinch Allen, now a resident at the Corners, and David T. Lyon; each carrying on business west of the main road, in the northern part of the village at Spafford Corners. Mr. Lyon was also a shoemaker, and with his coming here the itinerant business came to an end; he and his sons Charles B. and Cyrus Lyon were expert craftsmen, and for many years made the foot wear of the southern residents of the town.

Another industry of considerable importance in early times, now in disuse by reason of changed conditions, was that of Potashery. At a very early date a building for the manufacture of potash from wood ashes stood where the

present residence of Mrs. Benjamin McDaniels now stands, on the south side of the east and west road, just west of the "Corners." Here "Uncle" Eli Fisher, under the management of Levi Hurlbut and Asahel M. Roundy, year after year gathered wood ashes from all the neighboring farmers, and in the Fall of the year boiled the lye from them into potash, for the eastern market; and here many a good housewife came with her pot grease to have "Uncle" Eli assist her in making her annual barrel of soft soap for domestic use. Uncle Eli was a familiar character of those early years, and his coming and going, as the years went round, was watched by the villagers with pleasurable satisfaction. His glowing open arch fire always gave out a generous heat and light, and many a man will recall with pleasure the memory of, when a boy, he spent the cold Fall evenings in that light and heat with Uncle Eli, as the latter pursued his evening toil.

Jeremiah Van Rensselaer Coon and his father David Coon, at an early date carried on the business of harness making, the former at the Corners, and the latter at the cross roads east of Spafford Cemetery; David Coon died in 1857, and his son moved away soon afterwards; they had no successors in business.

The following business references to the Village of Borodino are taken in part from Bruce's History of the County of Onondaga. The first merchant there was Daniel G. Burroughs, who kept a store in a log cabin on the site of the present dwelling house and store of Alphonso Deerman, east of the Skaneateles and Homer road, as well as the one leading to Thorn Hill. It is said he was an expert swimmer, and at one time swam from Borodino Landing to Mandana, a distance of three miles.

Borodino at one time had three stores for the sale of general merchandise, three taverns, three tailor shops, three blacksmith shops, and other things in proportion; but, like Spafford Corners, was materially affected by the building of the Binghamton and Syracuse Railroad, and the consequent diversion of travel to that road.

Mr. Burroughs was succeeded in business by Stephen and Horace Childs, said to have been natives of Connecticut, but before or after coming to Borodino resided in Owasco, N. Y. Other merchants in Borodino were Daniel Baxter, Messer



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Barker, Washington Wallace, William Legg, David Becker (his son-in-law), Thomas B. Anderson, Charles M. Rich, Churchell & Eddie, Grinnell & Howe, William Quick & Son, Captain Zach Berry, Caleb E. King, and Alphonso Deerman.

The first tavern was built by Ira Rider in 1823, on the present site of the Churchell House; the second was erected by Col. Lewis C. Davis, where John Uncless now resides; and the third was kept in the house lately occupied by Mark Harvey as a residence, on the northwest corner of the cross road in this village. The two latter taverns were discontinued many years ago, and the former is still in use and occupied as a hotel by Mr. Churchell.

The first blacksmith shop was kept by Eleazer Hillebert, on the site where the Legg Block recently stood. Other blacksmiths in the village were William Legg, Mr. Stowell, Isaac Wallace, Orrin F. Eddy, A. Griffin and John Weston.

The first wagon maker was William Legg; who had as workmen John Babcock, Solomon Sprague, Seymour Warner, and Simeon Morchell.

Among the early shoemakers were Milton Streeter, Renona A. Cady, and Harman Cady. Thomas Howard at one time had a tannery here; Daniel Baxter a Potashery; and William Hayford a tinshop and foundry.

In May, 1856, a fire destroyed the tinshop and foundry, a tailor shop, and other things, entailing a loss of about \$8,000.00; and on September 12, 1871, the business places of William W. Legg & Son, William Quick, Charles M. Rich, H. Linus Darling, and Charles Benton were burned; destroying nearly the whole business center of the village. The site of the major portion of the burned district was subsequently built upon by Col. William W. Legg, for a business block adapted for the use of stores, shops and offices; this was also destroyed by fire in 1901, and has not since been restored. Since the destruction of the Legg Block three stores have catered to the wants of the Borodino people, two on the site of the original Burroughs store, and one in the building known as the Town Hall.

In early years the country merchants purchased their goods direct from the wholesale dealer and importer in New York City, and for that purpose made at least one trip annually to that metropolis, and the particularly smart ones made two, one in the Spring and one in the Fall of

the year. These sojourns from home generally lasted from two to three weeks at a time. By reason of their much travel and their extensive business experiences, the society of these gentlemen was much sought after in the communities where they resided; and their patrons never wearied of the relation of their travels and their business experiences in the great City of New York. Their comments on facts coming within their personal observation seemed to have force and certainty, which comes from special knowledge and privileged information, and were received by their auditors accordingly. If they were good fellows, and their business instincts generally led them to be, their stores naturally became club-houses, where men and boys congregated, not only to look over the latest importations from New York, but to hear the latest news from the outside world. Newspapers were not as common then as now, and consequently the country merchant was a power politically and socially in the community. Men naturally congregate together during the relaxation of business, and in early years, what better place was there for a country man or boy to spend a long winter evening, than around the big box stove in the rear part of a country store? Here the elders smoked their pipes, told stories, and all listened to the merchant as he related his adventures, and expounded matters political and otherwise to his patrons congregated about him. A popular merchant has always been a great power in the community, and it is a pleasure to note that in this town the store, as a club-house, has always taken precedence in popularity over that of the tavern.

HIGHWAYS.

Joshua V. H. Clark, in his History of Onondaga, in speaking of the original town of Spafford as organized in 1811, says: "The first settler in that part of the town taken from Tully was Jonathan Berry. He first settled a short distance south of the village of Borodino, in March, 1803. In April, the same year, Archibald Farr located himself on the southwest corner of Lot. 11.

"To facilitate the progress of Mr. Farr's immigration, Berry sent his teams and men to clear out a road, that Farr might proceed to his place of destination. This was the first road attempted to be made within the limits of the

town, and is the same that now leads from Spafford Corners to Borodino." The next year "the road was cleared from Farr's, on Lot 11, to the Corners; and the next year, 1805, Elisha Sabins and John Babcock cleared and cut a road from Scott (then known as Babcock's Corners) to Spafford Corners."

The same time they moved their goods on sleds over this newly made road from Scott to their new abode in this town at Spafford Corners. Mr. Goodwin, in his history of Cortland County, say that the next year, 1806, Isaac Hall, who had ecently settled at Spafford Corners, drove a wagon over this road from his home to Babcock's Corners, loaded it with hemlock boards, and then drove it back to his residence in Spafford.

Goodwin, in this same history, says that Peleg Babcock, accompanied by his brother Solomon Babcock, coming from Leyden, Mass., settled on Lot 82, Tully, now Village of Scott, in the year 1799; and was soon afterwards followed to that place by John Babcock, Jared Babcock and others. How these latter gentlemen were rlated to Peleg, if at all, is not known. Soon after taking up his residence in Scott, Peleg Babcock puchased Lot 21, Tully, on which Spafford Corners is situate, and immediately afterwards commenced the sale of it in parcels to purchasers. Among his early conveyances is one to John Babcock, dated October 8, 1806, one to James Cravath, dated September 7, 1805, and another to Elisha Sabin, dated September 8, 1811; probably preceded by contract of anterior date. Mr. Babcock never owned the State's Hundred Acres on this lot, which was puchased by Isaac Hall, August 1, 1805; perhaps by contract of an earlier date; it is claimed he was in occupation as early as 1804.

In view of these traditionary statements, it is interesting to note the survey bill of this first highway in town, which has been transcribed in the first book of records of the town of Spafford, from an earlier record in the town books of Tully. This is the first road record in this book of records:

"Survey of a road, beginning at the north west corner of Lot 12, in Sempronius; and running from thence S. 47° E. 185 chains — thence S. 35° E. 60 chains — thence S. 14° E. 183 chains — thence S. 7° E. 245 chains — thence S. 30 chains — thence S. 7° E. 40 chains — thence S. 15° E. 10

chains to the north line of lot No. 82, Tully. Nicholas Howd, Surveyor. ?

Recorded this 3rd day of July, 1804.

AMOS SKEEL, *Clerk.*

JAMES CRAVATH,
SOLOMON BABCOCK,

Commissioners of Highways."

This is a survey of the main highway, running north and south through the original town of Spafford, (now known as the Skaneateles and Homer road), commencing at Jonathan Berry's house, on the north line of the then town of Spafford, and the south line of Marcellus, and extending to the Village of Scott, in the County of Cortland. That would indicate that, at least, the portion of this highway from Dr. Archibald Farr's location, on the southwest corner of Lot 11, to the Village of Scott, was surveyed before the traditional opening of the road. The lands purchased by James Cravath of Peleg Babcock, on Lot 21, Tully, were the same now owned and occupied by Joseph Cole in 1900; and this survey bill also indicates that he must have occupied his purchase early in 1804 or he must have formerly resided in Scott, before settling in Spafford.

The town books show the record of another survey bill, of a cross road leading from the Skaneateles and Homer road, easterly on Lot 11 to Lot 12, in the direction of Farr's Mill at the foot of the Bucktail; this road ran along the northern line of the Breed Farm of to-day, and was abandoned years ago and taken up. This bill is also dated in 1804, showing the early date of Dr. Farr's efforts to locate a grist mill, and perhaps a foundry in Spafford Hollow.

Other survey bills of roads are recorded, commencing January 7th, 1807, and rapidly thereafter until the original town was well supplied with these means of intercommunication, before it was organized as a separate corporate body in 1811; in fact in early days there were more roads than there are to-day; many of those first laid out have either been regularly condemned and taken up, or abandoned to the use of the adjacent owners of the land. Among those abandoned or gone into disuse, was one extending along the county line between Onondaga and Cortland, commencing in the Skaneateles and Homer road, and extending easterly to the main road, running northerly and southerly in Cold

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Brook; another cross road, extending from the Skaneateles and Homer road to the Cold Brook road, ran along the southern line of the Barker farm of 1900, and was abandoned years ago, and fenced in by the owners of the land. The cross road along the north line of the Breed farm, above spoken of, was also abandoned over fifty years ago. There are others which have suffered a similar fate, but a recital of them would be wearisome and unprofitable.

There are other roads which have been laid out or re-surveyed, since the organization of the town in 1811, and particularly since the addition of the Marcellus acquisition. The early records of the original town of Marcellus were burned before 1830, so a re-survey of that portion of the town was ordered by vote, early in the thirties. The last survey bill appearing of record in the town books, is one of the road leading from Edwin Morris' house, (1900) on Lot 31, to the head of Skaneateles Lake, by way of Spafford Landing and the cottage of the writer on that beautiful sheet of water.

In this connection it seems appropriate to remark, that the main road running northerly and southerly through this town, from the village of Homer on the south to the village of Skaneateles on the north, is one of the most attractive and picturesque in Central New York, so celebrated for beautiful drives, and in early times, before the cross-country railroads had diverted the natural course of travel, was much used by travelers, passing from the northern to the southern portions of the State. A regular line of stages passed daily both ways over this route, to accommodate the demands of travel, and taverns at stated places along the road did a prosperous business. In the Fall of the year, large droves of cattle and sheep were frequently seen going along this highway, and the farmers along the route found a ready sale for their surplus fodder to the drovers accompanying these domestic herds, destined for the New York Market. The Stage Driver and Tavern Keeper were important personages in those early times, and held a position in the community entirely different from their successors of the present day.

The highway from the village of Homer to Skaneateles, a distance of twenty-five miles, is nearly in a direct course, and so gentle in its rise and descent that a traveller can trot

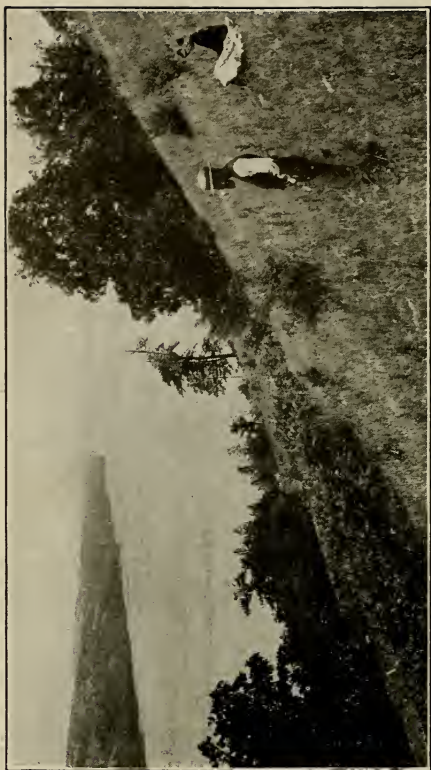
a smart team, attached to a light conveyance, nearly the whole distance between the two places. Leaving the Village of Homer, the route to Scott, eight miles, is up a wide and fertile valley, and from thence to the county line, two and a half miles, is up a gentle ascent along a small water course. As the traveller approaches the county line, there is suddenly opened to his view an expanse of fifteen or twenty miles of landscape, covering part of the county of Cayuga, nearly all of the town of Spafford, parts of the towns of Skaneateles and Marcellus, and the whole of Skaneateles Lake, with its surrounding hills and wooded points mirrored in its placid waters. The highway at this point, is over a thousand feet above the waters of the Lake, less than a mile away on the left, and thence, in its northerly and parallel course to that body of water, gradually descends to the surface level of the Lake at Skaneateles Village, fifteen miles away, the traveller never losing sight of that beautiful sheet of water, from the time it first came in view in the hills of Scott. This old stage route may have lost some of its points of interest, by the removal of the old time stage coaches, and the discontinuance of travel by private equipages, once so frequently seen on this favorite route of travel, yet there is a satisfaction in knowing that the graceful Spafford Hills, the fair waters of Skaneateles Lake, and God's pure air and the sunlight of Heaven spread over all, are still there, and cannot be diverted by the commercialism of man.

Another road in town, known as the "Bucktail," leading from Spafford Corners to Otisco Hollow, will always attract the attention of the traveller, by reason of its wild and rugged character; without question it has no counterpart in Central New York, and possibly not in the whole State of New York. It was laid out about 1818 by Captain Asahel Roundy, and surveyed in May, 1819, by Lauren Hotchkiss, Surveyor. The naming of this road was mentioned under the head of First Settlers, in connection with the name of Captain Roundy.

PROFESSIONAL MEN.

PHYSICIANS.

The first resident physician, in the southern end of the town of Spafford, was Dr. Archibald Farr, who, according



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to tradition, settled on the southwest corner of Lot 11, Tully, in the Spring of 1803. Very little is known of him, beyond the fact that he was the first settler in the southern portion of the town, that he opened his log cabin for the entertainment of guests, and that he built a grist-mill in 1806, and perhaps a foundry, at the foot of the Buck Tail Gulf, in Spafford Hollow. He must have moved away before 1811, for according to deed records in the County Clerk's Office, the Leggs were in possession, that year, of the land where he is reputed to have resided.

Dr. Farr was followed by Dr. Ashbel Searls, who first settled east of the main road, on Lot 42, Tully, on land purchased of Elijah Knapp. He erected there a log house, but did not remain long before he re-deeded the land to Mr. Knapp, and moved to Spafford Corners, where he purchased a house and lot on the southwest corner of the cross roads, of Lauren Hotchkiss. From there he moved to Otisco about 1815, and finally to Onondaga Valley, where he died in 1875 at a great age. He became a member of the Onondaga County Medical Society in 1816, while a resident of Otisco.

The next physician in the southern part of the town, of whom we have any record, was Dr. Zachariah Derbyshire, who resided on the west side of the highway, half way between the residence of Lyman C. Bennett and that of Mrs. Isaac Fisher, on Lot 22, Tully. His first wife, Pruella Derbyshire, died August 12, 1823, and was buried in Spafford Cemetery; he then married Hannah Williamson, daughter of Cornelius Williamson, for a second wife. We have no record of his coming or going, but it is probable his stay in town filled the interregnum, between the going of Dr. Searls as above stated, and the coming of Dr. Collins, who came about 1830. He at one time had a foundry, just above the upper falls in the Buck Tail Gulf.

Dr. John Collins came to Spafford Corners from Brookfield, Madison County, New York, where he was born, about 1830, and remained here in active practice of his profession until his decease, August 15, 1853.

Among the early students who read medicine in his office was Daniel G. Frisbie, who after being admitted to practice, entered into partnership with him. Dr. Frisbie was admitted to the Onondaga County Medical Society in June,

1845. Dr. Frisbie, while associated in business with Dr. Collins, married Mary Bulfinch, daughter of Joseph Bulfinch, and a short time afterwards went West, where he became a successful practitioner and business man.

A short time before the decease of Dr. Collins he sold his last residence (the late T. Maxson Foster residence) and business interests to a Dr. Davidson, who continued practice here for a few years and then moved away.

Since the departure of Dr. Davidson, the southern portion of the town has been served by resident physicians, in the persons of Dr. H. D. Hunt and Dr. G. Eugene Barker. Dr. Hunt was admitted to the Onondaga County Medical Society in June, 1875. He moved to Cortland County.

Dr. Barker, son of William Barker, was born in this town, and after a successful practice in other places finally returned here, where he has had a prosperous career in his chosen profession, for a number of years last past. He is a Homeopath, and was admitted to the Onondaga County Medical Society of that persuasion in 1891, while he was a resident of the village of Tully. He now has a residence and office at Spafford Corners.

In the northern, or Marcellus end of the town, the first resident physician was Jeremiah Bumbus Whiting, who is reputed to have located at or near the present village of Borodino in 1802, and continued practice there until 1819, when he moved to Sempronius, N. Y. He afterwards went to Michigan, where he died. Dr. Jonathan Kneeland, who commenced the study of medicine in his office, said of him; he was a good classical and medical scholar, well skilled in the use of indigenous remedies, but too much addicted to the use of spirituous liquors to make a successful practitioner in the field of medicine.

Dr. Whiting was succeeded at Borodino by Dr. Benjamin Trumbull, who came in 1816. He was admitted to the Onondaga County Medical Society in 1822, and was President of that body in 1832-3. He continued practice in this village until his decease, which occurred May 28, 1835, at the age of 46 years. He was invariably represented by physicians, who knew him, as a gentleman, scholar and a skillful physician. He was a nephew of "Brother Jonathan" Trumbull of Connecticut, the intimate friend and associate of Washington, and one of the most noted War

Governors of the Revolution. It is claimed that this village is indebted to him for its name, Borodino, and that during his residence here he did much to foster the churches, public schools, and the Christian morality of the community. He died of heart disease.

Dr. Jonathan Kneeland, born near Borodino in 1812, early had a predilection for medicine, and when a small boy, entered the office of Dr. Whiting as a student; but this engagement was soon terminated. He then entered a medical school in Ohio, but his entry into the practice of his chosen profession was interrupted by severe illness, which delayed the fruition of his desires until he was over thirty years of age. He first opened an office in Tully, but soon afterwards settled at or near Thorn Hill, where he had a successful career as physician and surgeon, among his old towns people near Borodino, for several years. He then moved to Onondaga Valley, where he remained until his decease. He joined the Onondaga County Medical Society in 1842, and in 1892 was honored by that body by a public banquet, on account of his long and honorable career of fifty years, as member of that society. He was President of that body in 1852.

Dr. Trumbull was succeeded at Borodino by Dr. Isaac Morrell, who continued a successful practice there until 1866, when he moved to Fulton, N. Y. After a short absence he returned to Boodino, but soon after went to Elmira, N. Y., where he died. He was admitted to the Onondaga Medical Society in January, 1841.

Since the departure of Dr. Morrell this end of the town has been served by Dr. Van Dyke Tripp and Dr. William G. Bliss. Dr. Tripp was admitted to the Onondaga County Medical Society in 1869, and represented his town in the Board of Supervisors of the County of Onondaga in 1881-3. He is now deceased. Dr. Bliss was a native of Georgia, in the State of Vermont, and after a successful business career at Borodino for a number of years, moved to Tully, N. Y., where he is now engaged in the practice of medicine.

Several of Spafford's sons have gone forth from this, their native place, to other localities, and risen to eminence in the profession of medicine, among whom are Jonathan Kneeland (spoken of above), Stephen Smith, who went to Brooklyn, N. Y., and there became a leading physician and

surgeon; who was at one time Commissioner of Charities there, was Commissioner of Lunacy in 1882, was selected as a Delegate to the International Sanitary Congress at Paris in 1894, and is especially remembered for his valuable gift of a medical library to the medical department of the Syracuse University.

J. Lewis Smith, who was a graduate of Yale College, became a prominent physician, and medical instructor in the schools of the City of New York. He is also well known to the profession as a medical writer and the author of several medical works, particularly for a Treatise on the Diseases of Children.

Dr. Edward Cox, son of Silas Cox, studied medicine with Dr. Trumbull at Borodino, and then went to Michigan, where he established a lucrative practice at Battle Creek.

Dr. Polaski Prindle, son of Moses Prindle, born near Spafford Corners, studied with Dr. Morrell at Borodino, and located first at Cashtown, and afterwards in Michigan, where he died.

Dr. James R. Weston, son of Edmund C. Weston, studied medicine with Dr. Collins at Spafford Corners, and finally moved to Montana, where he became a successful physician, a Bank President, a Judge of the Probate Court, and a successful business man.

Dr. S. Elis Crane is a successful physician in Syracuse, N. Y.

Dr. John E. Lyon, son of David Lyon, died soon after coming into a lucrative practice; he was buried at Spafford Cemetery.

LAWYERS.

There has never been a resident practicing lawyer in this town; although there has always been some one skilled in the practice of Justice Courts, and able to serve the people in that tribunal; among these were Captain Asahel Roundy, Jonathan Johnson, James H. Isdell, Uriah Roundy, H. Linus Darling, and Simon B. Wallace. The latter is the only one now living; he resides in the Village of Borodino, and is ready to serve the people when his services are required.

While there are no resident lawyers, there are several persons born here who have settled in other localities, and risen to eminence in their chosen profession; among whom

are Hon. Martin A. Knapp, Judge Elliott Anthony, Captain George K. Collins, Hon. A. Judson Kneeland, late practicing attorney in the Village of Homer, N. Y., William Smith, a graduate of Yale College, an attorney and counselor at law, but who died early in California; Lee Olmsted and Harley J. Crane, each of whom is actively engaged in the practice of law in the City of Syracuse; Judge Charles Vandenburg, a graduate of Yale College, an attorney at law, and a Justice of the Supreme Court of the State of Minnesota; and Mr. Harmon, son of Elder Harmon, an eminent lawyer, late of Washington, D. C.

MINISTERS.

Among the ministers who have gone from this town and risen to prominence elsewhere, are Amasa Spencer Kneeland, Stella Kneeland, Josiah N. Knapp (died a young man), and David M. D. O'Farrell.

TEACHERS.

The following, born in Spafford, have graced the profession in other communities: Prof. Charles O. Roundy, first principal of the Syracuse High School, Prof. Silas M. Betts, born in Borodino in 1828, was at one time principal of the High School in Niles, Michigan, for several years principal of grammar schools in the City of Sryacuse, and a teacher in the Normal School in the State of New Jersey; Prof. Alfred G. Harrington, at one time a successful teacher in the high grade of schools in this State, now retired to his farm in the town of Spafford; Prof. Joseph Addison Prindle, at one time a successful teacher in one of the Normal Schools of this State, now retired and residing in the Village of Skaneateles, N. Y.; and Prof. James Foster, an old time teacher, moved to South Dakota, but now deceased.

ARTIST AND SCULPTOR.

Sanford Thayer, son of Sanford and Sally (Miner) Thayer, Portrait and Landscape Painter, was born July 19, 1820, and resided in boyhood in Cold Brook.

Of the works of Horace Kneeland as a sculptor, very little is known by the writer.

SURVEYORS.

This brief sketch of the professional men who were born or resided in Spafford, would be incomplete without some reference to the old time surveyor, who with compass and chain divided farms, settled disputes, and fixed boundaries between contending factions. One of the most skillful, accurate, and tactful of the old surveyors in this town was Joseph Bulfinch. He was born in Boston, and when a young man, as principal taught school in a young ladies' seminary in the State of Vermont, and at an early date, when the country was new and the land boundaries undefined, settled in this town, just west of Spafford Corners. He was a man who took pride in his calling, spared no pains for accuracy, and for that reason his decisions were respected as in the nature of a judicial conclusion. In Summer or Winter he served his patrons as occasion required. He died at the advanced age of 88 years in 1873, and was buried in Spafford Cemetery.

After his decease he was succeeded for a time by his son, Joseph H. Bulfinch; he moved years ago to South Dakota, where he died; and later came Cyrenus Woodworth, whose decease is a matter of recent occurrence.

POSTMASTERS.

It would be unprofitable at this time, to make the necessary search to obtain the names of all persons who have held the important office of Post Master, at the different postal stations in this town, but the following are given as the major portion of those holding this important office under the General Government, at Spafford Corners. Captain Asahel Roundy was the first to receive this appointment in 1814, and he has been succeeded by the following: Isaac Knapp, Joseph R. Berry, Thomas B. Anderson, Dr. John Collins, William W. Legg, Uriah Roundy, Benjamin McDaniels, and Mr. Lieber, the present incumbent.

SKANEATELES LAKE AND COTTAGES.

Ekaneateles Lake is about seventeen miles long, averaging about one mile in width, and contains an area of not far from seventeen square miles of water, two-thirds of which are within the bounds of the town of Spafford. The water in



HEAD OF SKANEATELES LAKE FROM WINDOW OF SWEET BRIAR COTTAGE

depth is from twenty-five feet, at the foot and head, to two hundred sixty-five feet throughout the major portion of its course. There are no marshes or swamps along its shores, which are for the most part rocky and precipitous.

The Village of Skaneateles, of two or three thousand inhabitants, comes down to the water's edge at the foot of the lake, and extends for a short distance up the gentle slope of the hills encircling its northern extremity. Passing from the Village of Skaneateles and going southward up the lake five or six miles, the hills on either side come down to the water's edge, in a gentle decline, graced with cultivated fields, and picturesque farm buildings environed with fruit and other shade trees. At Five Mile Point the lake makes a change in course to a more easterly direction and, passing this Point, there is suddenly presented to the eye of the traveller an extended view of pure limpid water surrounded by bold, wild, and rugged highland scenery, such as is seldom seen elsewhere or excelled in beauty and picturesqueness. On the west side of the lake, at the beginning of this highland district, is the hamlet of Mandana, and, on the east side, the pretty little village of Borodino. Proceeding southward Point after Point successively come into view, extending outward from either shore, with their green verdure and graceful sweeping elm trees mirrored in the placid waters of the lake. The view from every steamer landing is most entrancing, and impresses the mind of the beholder. From Five Mile Point upward the shores of the lake become more and more precipitous, and the surrounding lands increase in elevation, until reaching the head of the lake at Glen Haven there is an amphitheater of precipitous hills, rising to a height a twelve or thirteen hundred feet above the surface of the water. The following is an abbreviated and adapted extract, taken from a recent publication concerning this lake, by the well known artist, John Barrow of Skaneateles, who for half a century has studied and delightfully painted the woods, hills and waters of Skaneateles Lake.

“The water of Skaneateles Lake is of the clearest and purest. I believe it has a color and beauty not reached by any other lake in our land. All the other lakes of our region have a clear and beautifully tinted water, each a little different from any other. Ours has a delicate emerald

tint, less pronounced than that of the great lakes, a tint of its own, I think it the fairest of all.

“ We know how gracefully the shores rise from the lake as far as Mandana, and then rise more precipitously, until they pass around the head of the lake in a grand amphitheater of hills, still partially clothed with forests.

“ Trees are standing and increasing around the Village of Skaneateles and its adjacent shores, filling up gaps that once were there. Nature still plants trees along the shore, and already we see a great change in that respect in the last twenty-five or thirty years. In some places the second growth has reached the height of the old trees, and in other places the saplings are covering the ground. There is still a grand wood on the west shore, half way up the lake, that keeps green the memory of the primeval forests.

“ The Points that were barren a few years ago, are now owned by men who own summer cottages there, and have taken care to add to such trees as have been spared to them. Ten Mile Point has a new and beautiful grove, freshly planted a few years ago, and also a fine old group, marking the end of the Point as it was since the lake was known. Three Mile Point, owned by Mr. Hooker, has since his occupancy become a charming spot. Fall Brook Point has changed some since I knew it, but not to its detriment, with its fine cottage, pleasant lawn of flowers, and summer houses planted there. I notice with satisfaction the same improvement at Nine Mile Point, Sycamore Point, Randall's Point and others.

“ There is a ravine and brook at every Point, for the brook makes the Point, and some are very interesting and beautiful. The gorge at Appletree Point is one of the finest on the lake. It has a stream of water more copious than the Inlet at the head of the lake. There are two fine falls in its course, one seventy-five or eighty feet in height, the waters falling over a cavern in the slaty rock beneath, from a ledge of Tully limestone above. Another one lower down the gorge, of forty feet in height, is most picturesque in time of freshet. There are other ravines at Ten Mile Point, Hall's Point, Jenny's Point, Collins' Point, Hooker's Point, and Gregory's Point. All these and many other smaller brooks, with their varied rocky architecture and plant life, are of interest to the lover of Nature.



SKANEATELES LAKE FROM SWEET BRIAR COTTAGE

"Of the scenery of the lake much can be told. The region in which this beautiful sheet of water lies is very rich in varied landscape; its hills, valleys and woods are very beautiful; and the views from the hills bounding the lakes are very charming. It would take too long to enumerate the different places where good views can be obtained, but some of the best are from the head of the lake. There are some excellent ones from the hills back of Three Mile Point, and from there down to Mandana. From the hills south of Spafford Corners to the village of Skaneateles are many charming views. Anywhere along the shores of the lake it is very beautiful, but I think the finest views of all are from Captain George K. Collins' cottage on Randall's Point. This cottage commands splendid views up and down the lake, the former being supplemented with the finest view of the valley beyond Glen Haven. On the eastern shore of the lake the summer sunsets can be seen in all their variety and glory.

"There is a view from Ripley Hill, in the town of Spafford, near the head of the lake, that ought to be famous. From there the beholder has spread out before his vision a stretch of county extending from the spurs of the Adirondack Mountains on the east, to the hills of Seneca County on the west, and from the mountains of Pennsylvania on the south, to the waters of Lake Ontario on the north. One may well be impressed with the beauty that is spread before him here of our county and the setting of our lake. We only need great artists and poets to make the people understand and appreciate how generous Nature has been, in giving us this beautiful lake and surrounding hills."

STEAMBOATS.

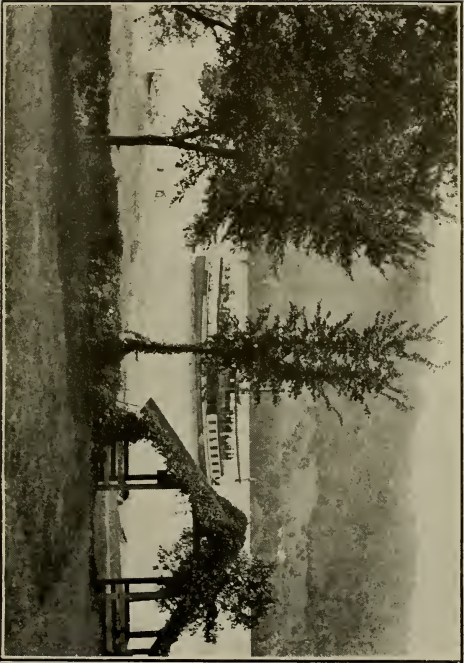
The first steamboat on Skaneateles Lake was the "Highland Chief," brought here from the Hudson River by Captain William Fowler, its owner. It came by canal, and from thence was trucked to the lake by oxen. It was forty feet in length, a side wheeler, and had a very uncomfortable habit of careening on slight provocation. According to John Barrow it was introduced here about 1824; but we have no record of it on the lake prior to 1831. As a steamboat it was not a success, and it was eventually remodelled into a sail boat for carrying freight and wood.

The next boat was built here, was about one hundred feet in length, a side wheeler, and was named "Independence," because launched on Independence Day, July 4, 1831. It was built in part by public subscription, had a cabin partly below decks, and, like its predecessor, was a losing venture. After a brief struggle for business and meeting with indifferent success, Captain Wells, its principal owner, converted it into a sail boat for carrying wood to the village of Skaneateles. It is said that D. B. Hillis, afterwards District Attorney of the County of Onondaga, and then a student in the law office of F. G. Jewett, delivered the Fourth of July oration at Skaneateles, the day this boat was first put in the water.

These two disastrous failures in the steamboat business seemed to deter any further ventures in that line for many years; but the opening of the Water Cure Establishment at Glen Haven, at the head of the lake, and a hotel and bowling alley at Fair Haven on the opposite side, each connected by daily stages with the village of Homer, gave fresh encouragement to men who were anxious to open lake transportation; so in 1848, about the time of the opening of the Water Cure, the side wheel steamer "Skaneateles" was placed on the lake. This boat was owned or managed by Thomas Hecox, a son of Warren Hecox, one of the promoters of the Water Cure Establishment at Glen Haven.

On July 4, 1848, a rival steamer named "Homer," made its maiden trip up the lake in company with the Skaneateles, each soliciting and carrying passengers on that occasion. The "Skaneateles" appeared to be a steady and safe boat, but the "Homer" was top heavy and had an uncomfortable way of careening from side to side, alternately lifting one after the other of its side paddle wheels out of the water; in windy weather this was particularly noticeable, and people for that reason were afraid to ride on the boat.

Whatever increased trade the Water Cure Establishment may have contributed to lake transportation, it certainly was not sufficient to sustain two boats; so one evening, after returning to Skaneateles from an unsatisfactory voyage to Glen Haven, Captain Hecox, with a full head of steam, ran the Skaneateles on to the western shore of the



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lake, where he subsequently removed her machinery and boiler, and then converted her hull to other uses.

The Homer was never popular, and after making a valiant fight for three or four years, gave up the struggle and submitted to the inevitable transformation into a sailing craft for hauling wood.

The Ben. H. Porter, built soon after the close of the Civil War, was a propeller modelled after an ocean steamer, and altogether too slow and clumsy to meet the requirements of lake travel. This, after a few years, went the way of the others, and about twenty-five or thirty years ago was supplanted by the small but very serviceable steam propeller "Glen Haven," still in use. The latter boat is now owned by the Skaneateles Railroad Company, which in 1901 put upon the lake the "City of Syracuse," modelled after its sister boat but much larger in size.

No steamboat has ever paid running expenses here until after the erection of summer cottages on the lake, since which time traffic has steadily increased, so that now, during the summer months, one or both of these boats are constantly required to meet the demands of travel.

A number of years ago a small steam yacht was placed on the lake by private parties, and named "Ossahinta," but by reason of commutation tickets and cut rates on railroads connecting with the regular boat, this opposition line was put out of business; what the effect of trolley lines of railroad running into Skaneateles may be on lake transportation, is yet to be seen.

Sailing yachts for pleasure have for years been a special feature of the lake, and during recent times numerous steam and gasoline launches have been introduced to its waters.

GLEN HAVEN SANITARIUM.

In the winter of 1847-8, a Water Cure Establishment was opened by Dr. Jackson at Glen Haven, on the west side, near the head of the lake. The first building used was a large white house, with a chimney at each end, built in 1846. by Deacon Hall of Skaneateles. The soft water for the Water Cure was taken in pipes, from a large spring issuing from the steep and almost inaccessible mountain side, in rear and several hundred feet above the house. At

the beginning of its career the rules and regulations of the Water Cure were stringent and exacting, and many who were ill, or thought they were, flocked to the new Sanitarium. Among other regulations the patients were required to wear skull-caps, kept constantly moist by dipping in water, to partake of a rigid coarse diet, drink copiously of the cool soft water of the establishment, take baths once or twice a day, exercise frequently in the open mountain air, and all women patients were to wear bloomers.

The skull-caps, bloomers, and coarse diet of the old regime eventually passed away, and this old time Water Cure under the liberal management of Dr. Thomas and John Mourin, who have been in charge for the last twenty-five or thirty years, has at last become well known throughout the United States as a popular Sanitarium and Summer Resort, for the latter purpose its reputation has long been established.

The first house was destroyed by fire about 1850, and a new and more commodious building erected in its place. The new building was soon outgrown, and numerous cottages from time to time were added to supplement the main establishment. After the lake became popular, by reason of private parties erecting summer cottages at different places along its shores, a large and commodious hotel building was added to the other structures of the Water Cure property, to meet the demands of summer trade.

No spirituous liquors have ever been sold on the Sanitarium grounds, a fact which no doubt has contributed to its popularity as a place of resort for women and children. This institution, during its long career, has at times been subject to adversity, and probably justly open to criticism for unsatisfactory management, yet on the whole there is much to be said in its favor. Its future seems established, and its many pleasant surroundings ought to make it bright and prosperous.

COTTAGES.

In the Spring of 1881 the writer erected on Randall's Point, now known as Spafford Landing, the first summer cottage on Skaneateles Lake; this at the time produced a mild sensation among the people residing in the vicinity, and scores of people visited the place to look upon the new

innovation. No one before had even suggested Skaneateles Lake as a place for private summer homes, and certainly no one had ever ventured an outlay of money in that direction. The general comment of those who visited this unpretentious first effort, in the direction of a summer cottage, was that it was a foolhardy thing to do, and summer cottages on the lake would never amount to anything. This first building is now in use, as it was designed at the beginning, as a dining room and kitchen; the family of the writer were then sleeping in tents.

The writer had one guest that first summer, however, who came, stayed over night, said he never enjoyed himself better in his life, in the morning bought a piece of land on the lake shore, and soon after commenced the erection of a cottage of his own; that was E. M. Ford of Syracuse. That property and cottage is now owned by his daughter, Mrs. Weed, of Brooklyn, N. Y.

Soon after Mr. Ford's purchase, in 1881, he sold a part to Mr. James H. Blair of Syracuse, who erected the third cottage on the lake; this property is now owned and occupied by Mr. Cronell, of Skaneateles.

In a year or two after his first venture, the writer supplemented his belonging on the lake by erecting his main cottage, on the bluff or elevation just north of his first building.

From this time forward, the following cottages were erected in quick succession upon the lake: Mr. Allen built "Rockland" Cottage, on the high rocks just south of Mr. Blair; a Mr. Ford built on Barber's Point the cottage now owned and much improved by Col. James Manning of Syracuse; Dr. Pease erected the cottage now known as Jenny's, on Havens' Point, and Mr. Hall and Mr. Bench, both of Skaneateles, built cottages farther down the lake. All that have been now mentioned were in the town of Spafford.

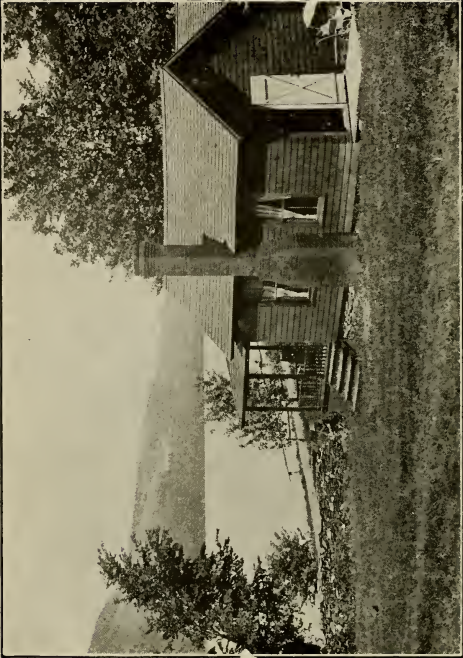
On the opposite side of the lake, in the County of Cayuga, about this time were erected four cottages on Pray's Point (Glen Cove), by three Gregory Brothers of Skaneateles, and by Prof. R. Bruce White (a brother-in-law) of Syracuse. Mr. Carpenter and Mrs. Casper erected two elegant summer and winter homes on Appletree or Sawmill Point. The last two were soon supplemented by ten or twelve other tasty

summer cottages on the gentle declivity of the shore south of Carpenter; these are known as the New Hope Colony.

From this time forward the popularity of the lake as a summer resort was established, and year after year elegant summer cottages were added, until there are now about a hundred in all, distributed along the shores and points of the highland portion of the lake. Among the most noteworthy of these, in addition to those already mentioned, are the following: Two owned by Mr. Pennock and Mr. Cooper in Pine Grove, one by Mr. E. C. Stearns on Wheat Point, four owned by Mr. Salem Hyde, Mr. Maslin, Mr. James Eager, and Dr. Marlow on the shore between Wheat and Ten Mile Point, three owned by Dr. Wright, Mr. Stone and Mr. Willett on the shore between Ten Mile and Hall's Point, one owned by A. C. Chase on Barber's Point, one owned by Rev. Samuel Calthrop on Stag Horn Point, one owned by Dr. A. C. Mercer on the shore further south. In addition to these there are five or six others belonging to a Homer Colony perched on the high rocks south of Rockland Cottage. All of these are in the town of Spafford.

On the western side of the lake the following have been added to those already mentioned: One by Mr. Allen, near the grounds of the Glen Haven Water Cure, and one by each of the following named persons on the shore and points on the west side of the lake: Mr. Olmstead, Dr. Guilford, Dr. Darby, Mrs. Fields, Mr. Paul, Mrs. Bennett, Mr. Van Esseltyne, Hooker Brothers, Mr. Stevens, Mr. Posthill, Mr. Weeks, Mr. Holden, and several others whose names are not known to the writer.

Skaneateles Lake has been recently appropriated as a water supply for the City of Syracuse; what the effect may be upon this beautiful sheet of water as a place of resort and for summer homes is yet to be determined. The matter of cottage building has been one of great importance to the town of Spafford and has added very much to its material wealth and prosperity. Its revenue from that source has been a constant and increasing one, from the time the first building was erected within its limits, and barring the effect of this appropriation of the lake as a water supply, its future revenue from that source looks better than ever before. The facilities for reaching and enjoying Skaneateles Lake were never in the past what they



COTTAGE WILLIAM S. TEALL, SKANEATELES LAKE

are to-day, and certainly, in salubrity and attractiveness, this beautiful sheet of water has no equal in Central New York.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Within the last fifty or sixty years there have been great material changes in the welfare of the world, and especially in the United States. The most noticeable of these have occurred in our great cities and along our routes of commerce; and yet even an isolated country section, like the town of Spafford, has been affected by this current of passing events, which has marked the progress of nations. The discovery and application of steam and electricity as motive powers, and the invention of the telegraph and telephone, have had the effect, to a greater or less extent, of annihilating time and space; while the invention of a multitude of modern labor saving devices has revolutionized the ordinary methods of man, and the manner of obtaining his daily bread; even his tastes and habits have changed. It would seem as if the country farmer would be the last to be affected by these modern innovations, and yet a careful study of the situation shows, that even he has succumbed to the force of modern ideas. These changes are unregrettable, because they are the logical sequence of current events, so it is not our purpose to speak of them farther than to note the fact, without expressions of regret; but of other changes we desire to speak:

MAPLE SUGAR MAKING.

Fifty years ago the ordinary sweet used in a farmer's family, for domestic purposes, was made from the sap of a maple tree, and a farm without a "sugar-bush" was incomplete. Maple groves were preserved and protected, with all the care and attention of an apple or fruit orchard. Early in Spring the sap buckets were taken from their storing place, repaired, hoops tightened, and the buckets carefully washed, soaked and put in readiness to catch the first sap run of the season. The boiling was generally done in long copper pans, set in brick arches covered by rough wooden sheds, to protect them from the inclement weather of Spring. The sugar season, always a short one, sometimes required a day and night service of the attendant.

Sugar making was always a happy service for young people, who generally attended the "sugar off," and delighted to make the hot sugar into wax, by dropping it on a panful of clean snow or a cake of ice. In olden times it was not an unusual thing, to behold in an early Spring evening, the fire light from half a dozen sugar bushes from the village of Spafford Corners. The early farmers, in this town, not only made sugar for themselves, but had a surplus to sell to people in their localities. Muscovado, or a crude sugar made from Southern sugar cane, never was a very desirable sweet, and the clarified and granulated article is a matter of comparatively recent origin. The making of maple sugar, in this locality, is growing less and less every year, and will soon be a lost art; there are even now very few maple groves worth the tapping. A cake of maple sugar will soon be a curiosity, and maple syrup on pancakes a luxury that the wealthy only can indulge in.

MAPLE GROVES.

Another noticeable and very regrettable matter, which has occurred within the last fifty years, and which naturally affects the physical aspect of this town, is the destruction of nearly all the fine groves of trees, which once existed in close proximity to the villages and residences of the people. From appearances, the people who have possessed the land had an antipathy against both trees and shrubs, and have wielded the axe with an unsparing hand. With the trees have gone the Spring flowers and native birds, and all that feasted the eye and stirred the soul of man to higher aims and brighter thoughts. There is some satisfaction, however, in knowing there are some places in town so steep and rugged as to stay the course of the woodman's axe, and where there is still a retreat for trees, birds and flowers. There are a few shade trees along the waysides, particularly in the two villages, but even these are a memory of fifty years ago. Very few, if any, fruit trees have been planted in a half century. We are very glad, however, to note that along the lake shore, where the summer residents have a foothold, there is a reaction from this general tendency to destruction and decay; here Nature, aided by sympathetic hands, is fast restoring the land to its primitive charms. We trust that the coming generation will catch some in-

spiration from the Lakers, that will result in restoring the lands in this picturesque town from the vandalism of the last fifty years.

HUNTING, PIGEONS, BIRDS, ETC.

In the forepart of the nineteenth century every man and boy was a marksman, and possessed a rifle or a firing iron of some description. Fox hunting, hunting for black and gray squirrels, partridges, pigeons, rabbits, and other small animals and birds, afforded abundant sport for those who were so minded. Others found pleasure and profit in trapping fur bearing animals and in hunting for bee trees. All these pastimes are now practically a memory of the past; and perhaps it is well it is so, for certainly it has always been a question whether the companionship of these birds and small animals has not always been of more value to the people, than the temporary pleasure of the few who practiced the art of killing them.

There are a few who will remember when flocks of wild pigeons darkened the air with their Spring and Fall migrations; now, not a bird is left to tell the story; a few bobolinks still frequent our meadows in Summer time, and enliven our labors with their sweet warbling song; but, like the pigeons, their days will soon be numbered and their song cease in the land.

With the rapid flow of current events have also passed the old time quilting bees, paring bees, husking bees, and the old fashioned singing school; possibly there has something succeeded to take their place, but in innocent fun and generous sociability, we doubt if there will ever be a substitute for these old time gatherings.

JUDGE ELLIOTT ANTHONY.

(From *The Syracuse Herald* of February 26, 1898.)

“Elliott Anthony, one of the most illustrious sons of Onondaga County, died on Thursday night, February 20, 1898, at Evanston, Illinois. For twelve years he was Judge of the Superior Court of Illinois, and one of the leading authorities on law in the Middle West. He was born in Spafford on June 10th, 1827, of Quaker ancestors. His father, Isaac Anthony, married Pamela Phelps of Vermont, and to them were born sons and daughters. The sons were educated in

the academy at Homer. In the autumn of 1847, Elliott entered Hamilton College at Clinton, as sophomore. He was graduated in 1850 with high honors.

"In the following year, he and his classmate, Joseph I. Hubbard, had charge of the Clinton Academy, in which Grover Cleveland was then a pupil. Anthony's first experience at the school showed his character and determination. The school had the reputation of being hard to control, and had, previous to Mr. Anthony's advent, sent away in quick succession five or six teachers. When he entered the school-room on the first morning and called for order, there was a violent slamming of books and slates on the desks. He repeated the order, and a like demonstration followed. Without a word he walked through the center aisle to the back of the room, took two of the largest boys by their collars and dragged them to the front, where he knocked their heads together, and sent the lads to separate corners of the room. He again issued his command for order and it was obeyed. From that day on he had no further trouble with his school. A gray-haired man came into his Court room, where he was a Judge on the Chicago bench, and thanked the jurist for that trouncing, saying that he had learned more in that one day than he had in all his previous schooling.

"Young Anthony pursued a course in law under Prof. Theodore W. Dwight, and was admitted to the bar at Oswego at 24 years. A year later, and after pleading his first case into a Court of Record in Sterling, Ill., he returned to the East, married Mary, the sister of Professor Dwight, and a grand-daughter of President Dwight of Yale College, on July 14th, 1852. Returning West he went to Chicago, celebrating his first year of married life by compiling "A digest of the Illinois Reports," which was received with great favor by the legal profession. In 1858 he was elected City Attorney of Chicago, during which administration he became the means of establishing many new points in law, such as, that special assessments cannot be enjoined by a Court of Chancery, and that the City of Chicago cannot be garnisheed to collect salaries or wages of those employed by it.

"Five years after his election he was chosen general solicitor of the greatest railway corporation then in the

Northwest, the Galena and Chicago Union Railroad Company. He was with it when the great fight over its consolidation with the Chicago and North Western was on, and led the minority stockholders, in one of the most stubbornly contested cases in railway law, and enlisted some of the most eminent capitalists of the country, among them Samuel J. Tilden. All the contentions of Mr. Anthony's brief were sustained, and the parties patched up their difficulties. Out of this brief grew "The Law Pertaining to the Consolidation of Railroads," which still remains a standard work on that important subject.

"He was one of the leaders of the two great constitutional conventions held in Illinois in 1862 and 1870. In the second he was chairman of the executive committee, and also served upon the committee on judiciary and railroads.

"Mr. Anthony was one of the founders of the Republican party in Illinois, and was a delegate to the first Republican Convention in Cook County. In 1880, when the conflict over the third term idea came up, he was elected chairman of the Cook County Convention, and delegate to the State Convention, where he became contesting delegate to the National Convention, where, in a stormy debate, he answered Green B. Baum, General Logan and Emory Storrs, and was finally admitted to the Convention which nominated General Garfield for President.

In the following Autumn he was elected to the bench of the Superior Court, where he sat for twelve years. While on the bench Mr. Anthony devoted much time to the compilation of legal treatises, which included a work entitled "Law of Self Defense," "The Trial by Jury in Criminal Cases," and "New Trials in Criminal Cases." His sketches of the Courts of England, published in "The Legal Adviser" attracted much attention about this time, as also did his treatise on "The Law of Arrest in Civil Cases."

"In 1889 Mr. Anthony was honored by the degree of LL.L., conferred upon him by his Alma Mater, Hamilton College.

"Among other works that have come from his pen are: "The Constitutional History of Illinois," "The Story of the Empire State," "Sanitation and Navigation," a series of articles published in the Western Magazine of History on "Old Virginia."

Mr. Anthony's first wife died in 1862, and eight years later he married her younger sister. For forty-five years he lived in Chicago, but for the last four years he made his home with his son, Charles E. Anthony, at Evanston. He is survived by two other sons, State Senator George D. Anthony, and Dr. Henry G. Anthony, making three in all."

PROFESSOR SILAS M. BETTS.

The following is an abridged extract, taken from Prof. Edward Smith's History of Syracuse Schools:

"Silas M. Betts was born in Borodino in 1828. When a child he moved with his parents to Memphis, in this county, where he attended the public school. He also attended school at Warners, Onondaga Academy, and Homer Academy when Samuel Woolworth was principal. His first teaching was at Belle Isle in the winter of 1844-5. After this he attended the Normal School at Albany and graduated in 1849.

Soon after, he became principal of School Number Nine in this city. In 1851 he was principal of Number Eleven, where he remained until his transfer to School Number Seven, in 1855. He taught in the latter school until his appointment as principal of a High School at Niles, Michigan, in 1859; and was instrumental in making the schools free in that State. While teaching in Michigan he held teachers' institutes in that State during vacation time. His health being impaired by overwork, he resigned the principalship of the Niles High School about 1860. After a rest for about a year, he accepted the Vice Principalship of the Normal School in the State of New Jersey. He continued in this work for about three years, and then resigned to accept the Presidency of the American Guernsey Cattle Club at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. Writing Mr. Smith from that Club, he said: "I have lived to see the schools made free in the State of New York, Michigan and New Jersey, and I trust they have all been made better by my labors. My most pleasant memories are connected with the schools of Syracuse."

DR. JOHN COLLINS.

Dr. John Collins came to Spafford Corners from Brookfield, Madison County, New York, where he was born, about

1830. His father and mother were of New England origin and came from Stonington, Connecticut, on or before 1796. He was educated in Hamilton Academy (now Colgate University), and in the Medical College in Castleton, Vermont, where he graduated in 1829. He came to Spafford Corners the next year, joined the Onondaga Medical Society, June 14, 1831, and remained here in active practice of his profession until about the time of his decease, August 15, 1853; he was buried in Spafford Cemetery. He first opened an office in Roundy's Tavern, where he boarded, but soon purchased a lot adjoining the hotel property on the south, where he erected an office. In 1831 he married Miss Mary Ann Roundy, daughter of Captain Asahel Roundy, and soon after remodeled his office into a dwelling house, where three of his first children, including the author of this sketch, were born. He then purchased a farm of fifty acres on the opposite side of the highway, which, prior to that, had successively been owned by Peleg Babcock, John Babcock, Silas Cox and Joseph Cole. He continued to reside on this farm until a short time before his decease, when he moved into a new house built by him just south, and adjoining the Union Meeting House lot; this he sold to a Dr. Davidson, preliminary to moving to Syracuse, but died prior to the transfer of his family to the latter place.

In Bruce's History of Onondaga County appears the following: "Dr. John Collins came to Spafford about 1830, and practiced medicine until his decease, August 15, 1853. He was a descendant of Henry Collins, starchmaker, who came to America from Stepney Parish, London, England, in 1635, and settled in Lynn, Mass. Dr. Collins was of the seventh generation, in an unbroken line of Johns from Henry his emigrant ancestor. He was graduated from Castleton, Vermont Medical College in 1829, settled first in Madison County, but soon removed to this town, where he acquired a wide professional business. He was one of the leading physicians in the County during his career, and a prominent member of the County Medical Society. He was a fine botanist, knew the medical properties of almost all varieties of plants, held several important town offices, and was one of the first to espouse the cause of temperance.

"Owing to the intermarriage of his ancestors with well known families of Washington County, Rhode Island, a full

account of his lineage would involve the recital of nearly every tradition, and nearly every early transaction of the State of Rhode Island, which is not within the province of this article; but of him it can be truthfully said, every drop of blood in his veins was English, pure and simple, in the strictest sense of the word. His boyhood was spent on the farm of his father in Brookfield, and was subject to all the hardships and deprivations of pioneer life; yet, with indomitable pluck and perseverance, he was able to acquire an excellent education for his time, and far above the average of the community in which he lived. Like many other young men he taught school several winters, to obtain the means to meet the expenses for a higher education. Soon after settling in Spafford he acquired an extensive practice in his chosen profession of medicine, and ever led an active life; commanding respect from all, and by merit alone was able to retain possession of his chosen field of labor, against the encroachment of all new comers. He was never an aspirant for office, yet for several years acted as School Commissioner and Postmaster, because the first was congenial to his tastes, and the latter involved no part of his personal attention, its duties being performed by his wife. He was one of the founders of the Methodist Episcopal Church at Spafford, and generally supported any good and worthy cause, which he believed would advance the moral interests and material welfare of his townspeople.

“On the 4th day of April, 1831, he was united in marriage with Mary Ann Roundy, daughter of Captain Asahel Roundy, and sister of Prof. Charles O. Roundy, first principal of the Syracuse High School, and by her had eight children; two only of whom are still surviving. One of his sons, Captain George Knapp Collins, is a prominent attorney and counselor at law, in practice in the City of Syracuse, and during the War of the Rebellion served as Captain in the 149th New York Volunteers Infantry, with distinction. Dr. Collins was generally respected by his brethren of the medical profession, for his social and professional attainments. After a lapse of near half a century since his decease, his memory is treasured in nearly every household embraced with the scope of his labors, with affectionate regard.”

CAPTAIN GEORGE KNAPP COLLINS.

Captain George K. Collins, author of this work, and son of Dr. John Collins and Mary Ann Roundy, his wife, was born at Spafford Corners, April 15, 1837. As President of the Collins Family Re-Union, which holds its annual meetings in Madison County, New York, Captain Collins in 1901 prepared and published a short genealogy of his branch of that family, by which it appears that his ancestors were originally Rhode Island Quakers, descended from Henry Collins, who came to this country in 1635, from Stepney Parish, London, England, and settled in Lynn, Mass. On both sides his family are of New England origin and patriotic stock; all four of his great grand-fathers having served in the patriot cause in the War of the Revolution, and his grandfather, on his mother's side, having commanded a Company as Captain, during a tour of duty in the War of 1812; it was only following natural impulses of the blood that flowed in his veins, that he gave his services to the cause of his country, in the great War of the Rebellion.

The following extract is taken from a recent publication concerning the subject of this sketch: "Captain Collins was mustered into the service of the United States, September 18, 1862, as First Lieutenant in Company I, 149th Regt., N. Y. Vol. Inf., in the War of 1861, served for a period of near two years, and was brevetted Captain at the close of the war for meritorious services. He participated in all the battles, skirmishes and marches of the regiment, both in the Army of the Potomac and the Army of the Cumberland, up to the time of his discharge, excepting the battle of Ringgold, from which he was prevented by injuries received in battle a few days previous. Among the engagements and campaigns in which he saw service were Chancellorsville, Gettysburg, Wauhatchie, and Lookout Mountain. He was twice wounded, first at Chancellorsville and again at Lookout Mountain; the latter was the occasion of his discharge, which occurred April 24, 1864. He was admitted to the bar of the State of New York soon after his discharge from the Army of the United States, and soon after to the District Court of the United States and Department of the Interior. He is now engaged in active practice of his profession at Syracuse, N. Y. He is Past Commander of Root

Post, G. A. R.; Past President of Central N. Y. Microscopical Club; Member of the National Microscopical Society; for fifteen or sixteen years he was Grand Treasurer of the Royal Arcanum for the State of New York; he is a Companion of the Loyal Legion, New York Commandery; he is the author of the history of his regiment, entitled "Memoirs of the 149th Regt. N. Y. Vol. Inft., 3d Brig., 2 Div., 12th and 20th A. C.;" is a member of the Central New York Genealogical Society, and a member of the Sons of the American Revolution.

"Captain Collins' father, who was a physician and surgeon, died while residing in Spafford, a small country village, when the subject of this sketch was sixteen years of age, and a country boy living on a farm. A few months afterward Captain Collins, accompanied by his mother and two infant brothers, moved to the City of Syracuse, and commenced the struggle of life under very discouraging circumstances, working alternately at whatever he could find to do, and going to school until the Spring of 1858, when he was graduated from the Syracuse High School, then considered an excellent educational institutinn. He then entered the law office of the well known firm of D. and D. F. Gott, at Syracuse, as a student, but his labors were soon interrupted by the event of the Civil War, and his admission to the bar was delayed until about 1866. Whatever success the Captain may have achieved at the bar, or otherwise, he owes to himself and the indomitable pluck and perseverance inherited from an excellent father and mother. He has never professed religion in the general accepted interpretation of that term, still he has generally attended the M. E. Church, of which his parents were members, and among other church offices was at one time Superintendent of the Sabbath School connected with that society. In habits of mind in relation to religious subjects, Captain Collins has a strong penchant to many of the characteristic tenets believed in and adhered to by his Quaker ancestors, for whom he cherishes a devout attachment."

Captain Collins married early in life Catherine Sager, daughter of Jacob Sager and Rebecca Groot his wife, a member of a typical New York Knickerbocker family, by whom he had seven children, five of whom survive: Kath-

arine Mary, Grace Virginia; Helen; Flora Belle, wife of William W. Wiard, and Clara Bessie, wife of William S. Teall, all of Syracuse, New York.

PROFESSOR EZRA BABCOCK KNAPP.

Ezra Babcock Knapp, son of Peter, Jr., was born in the town of Scott, Cortland County, N. Y., February 26, 1830, where he resided until three years of age. He then moved with his parents to Spafford, where he was brought up a farmer boy, on a farm near Spafford Corners, and received a common school education. He then attended the Cortland Academy at Homer and prepared himself for a teacher, an occupation which he followed from 1848 for twenty-three terms, and then entered the service of the well known school book publishing house of A. S. Barnes and Burr, and later with Taintor Bros. and Company. His field was mainly the New England and Middle States. Mr. Knapp has been closely identified with the Public Library in Skaneateles, his place of residence since 1870, and donated to that institution a geological collection. In 1884 he was elected School Commissioner, and was re-elected in 1887, but declined the nomination for a third term, three years later. The honorary degree of Master of Arts was conferred upon him by Colgate University in 1887. He was elected President of the Village of Skaneateles in 1892, but, after having served in that capacity about six months, resigned on account of ill health. He married in 1857 Miss Loretta E. Wilson of Skaneateles, where they now reside. Mr. Knapp has been an ardent Republican since the organization of that party, and takes a lively interest in State and National questions, and in all local matters which affect the community in which he resides. He has a well stored mind on scientific subjects, and particularly in matters relating to local geology. He has spent much time and research in the prosecution of the latter study, and in reference to it his knowledge and opinions are deemed of great value.

HON. MARTIN AUGUSTUS KNAPP.

Hon. Martin Augustus Knapp, son of Justus N. and Polly P. (McKay) Knapp, was born in Cold Brook in this town, and educated in Homer and Cazenovia Academies,

and the Wesleyan University at Middletown, Connecticut. After his graduation and the completion of his college course, he entered the law office of Oliver Porter, Esq., at Homer, N. Y., as a student, and afterwards accepted a clerkship in the law office of Hall and Chamberlin in Syracuse, N. Y., where he remained until he was admitted to the Bar of the State of New York in the year 18—. Soon after Mr. Knapp was admitted to the Bar the latter firm was dissolved, and by the retirement of the senior member, and a new one organized, of which he was the junior and Mr. Chamberlin the senior member; the latter firm continued for several years, doing a prosperous business, when Mr. Knapp withdrew, and for seven or eight years continued in business alone. The new firm of Knapp, Nottingham and Andrews was then formed and has continued without interruption and with signal prosperity to the present day.

During Mr. Knapp's business career in Syracuse, he has been City Attorney for one or two terms, has been School Commissioner of the Ward in which he resided, has once been a candidate for Mayor on the Republican ticket, but defeated, and is now Interstate Commissioner, by appointment under the General Government, an office which he has held for upwards of eight or ten years.

Mr. Knapp possesses all the elements of business success, being a fine scholar, a good lawyer, a fluent speaker, affable in manner, and possessed of great industry and unexceptionable habits. He was united in marriage, many years ago, with Marion H. Hotchkiss, of Middletown, Conn., whose acquaintance he made when attending the University at that place, but by her has had no issue.

DR. JONATHAN KNEELAND.

On the occasion of Dr. Jonathan Kneeland (son of Warren) attaining his 50th year in the Onondaga Medical Society, at a banquet held in the City of Syracuse, Dr. H. D. Didama of Syracuse, N. Y., in speaking of the guest of honor, said: "Dr. Jonathan Kneeland was born February 20, 1812, in a log cabin in Marcellus Township, between Skaneateles and Otisco Lakes. His father, Warren Kneeland, was an accomplished Yankee Schoolmaster, who taught in district schools for 30 years in Saratoga and Onondaga Counties—training, in 1798-9, the twigs which grew into sturdy trees

on Pompey Hill. When but eleven years of age he (Jonathan) was apprenticed to learn the art of healing to Jeremiah Bumbus Whiting of Sempronius. Bumbus was a college graduate, and agreed to reward Kneeland for faithful services in ten years, with a horse and saddle-bags. This delightful experience and prospect was rudely ended, by the relapse of the learned Whiting to his old but relinquished habit of quaffing the flowing bowl. Jonathan returned to his father's log house, left home without leave when but fifteen years old, attended district, select, and academic schools, and taught for two winters at the encouraging remuneration of \$10 and \$18 per month. After this he went to Lane Seminary, where he taught for a while, and then entered the Collegiate Department a year in advance, under the old Presidency of Dr. Lyman Beecher. Preparing about this time to go as a medical missionary to Persia, China, or Burmah, he attended medical lectures at the Ohio Medical College. This was in 1832, the year when the great epidemic of Asiatic Cholera devastated the country. Jonathan was sent to Cincinnati to study the disease, and came back to care for his fellow students at Lane Seminary, working day and night without undressing, and witnessing the death of ten of his associates. Then he was attacked himself by the dire disease, and under the eminent treatment of the learned Doctors Eberle and Drake, he became an altered man, his shrinking nature manifesting itself to such an extent, that his weight came down from 140 to 71 pounds. The doctor was brought home to Marcellus, a distance of nine hundred miles, to die. For nine long years he was an invalid. His intellect during all this time, and ever after, remained clear and unclouded. He regained health, and with four relapses, has exercised delightfully ever since his faculty of fluent speech. In 1841 he gave up his life plans to the practice of medicine in his native land. He open an office in Vesper, then removed to Thorn Hill, where he remained twelve years.

"Dr. Kneeland has received the honorary degree of M. D. from the Regents of the University of New York,, and also from the Ohio Medical College. These were conferred for well known merit, and were unsought by the deserving doctor. Dr. Kneeland faithfully attended at the various county, State and National Medical Societies to

which he belonged. He was a delegate to the State Medical Society for four years, and an active member for twenty years, serving many times as censor. He has been for thirty-five years a member of the American Medical Association. Bright, witty, humorous, learned and instructive, he has often awakened a dull and prosy meeting into one of vigorous activity. He has written many papers on various diseases and medical subjects. He held the office of Coroner eighteen years, Superintendent of Onondaga Indians twenty-five years, and for ten years was their physician. He has many friends. He has observed strictly the golden rule, and is generally loved for his affectionate disposition.

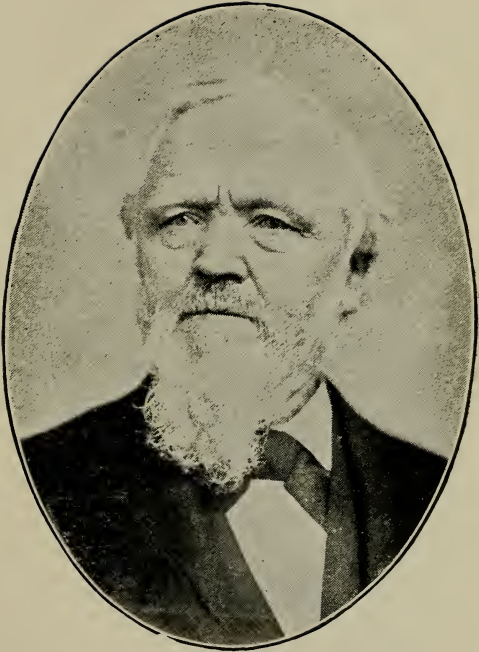
“Dr. Kneeland married Mariam Dwelle, February 7, 1845, and to whom were born three children: Frank Joel, born December 10, 1845, married Etta Edwards at Whitehall, Wisconsin, December 5, 1883, died October 15, 1898; Martin Dwelle, born September 24, 1848, married Sarah A. Lord, and resides at Roxbury, Mass.; and Stella, born February 20, 1854, graduated at Holyoke Seminary, teacher in Syracuse High School five years, married Frederick Colburn Eddy, Cashier of the Bank of Syracuse, and resides at Syracuse, N. Y.”

Dr. Kneeland died and was buried at South Onondaga, N. Y., where he had been physician and surgeon for many years.

COLONEL WILLIAM W. LEGG.

The following is an abstract from a published obituary notice, appearing in the public press at the time of his decease:

“Col. William W. Legg died at the residence of his son-in-law, William H. Bass, near Borodino, on Sunday last, in the 79th year of his age. He was born in Spafford, February 18, 1814, and continued to reside in his native town until his decease. He married Minerva A. Prindle, daughter of Hon. Joseph Prindle, formerly of this town, with whom he lived in happy marital relations for over fifty years, her death preceding his own by about four years. In politics he was originally a Whig, and subsequently accepted the nomination of Sheriff on the Know-Nothing Ticket, but on the breaking out of the Civil War joined the



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Republican Party, with which he afterwards continued, vigorously sustaining its principles and giving to it his full support, in suppressing the rebellion and preserving the Union. When a young man he joined the State Militia, and continued his connection with it until he had risen from rank to rank, to that of Brigadier General in that organization. At the time of the breaking out of the Civil War, he was offered the Colonelcy of a regiment in the volunteer service, but on account of age and sickness in his family, was obliged to decline the flattering offer. Colonel Legg was not an aspirant for political honors, yet occasionally was induced to serve his town, by the acceptance of minor offices within its gift; among these was Supervisor. He also received the appointment of Postmaster from the General Government, both at Spafford Corners and Borodino. Col. Legg was a public spirited and useful citizen, and he had many friends; his death was generally regretted."

PROFESSOR CHARLES O. ROUNDY.

Mr. Edward Smith, formerly Superintendent of Syracuse Schools, in speaking of Prof. Roundy, said:

"Prof. Charles O. Roundy, son of Captain Asahel Roundy, was born in Spafford, Onondaga County, New York, May 23, 1823. He received his education in the public schools of his native town and in Homer Academy. The degree of A. M. was conferred upon him by Hamilton College in 1853. Almost his entire active life has been spent in teaching, beginning in his native town at eighteen years, soon after leaving Homer Academy. He afterwards taught as Principal in the Skaneateles and Baldwinsville Academies, coming from the latter place to Syracuse in 1852, and taking the Principalship of old No. 5, where he remained in charge until the establishment of the Syracuse High School in 1855. He was then installed as Principal of the latter school, and remained as such until failing health compelled him to resign, in the Spring of 1871. After a year or two of travelling, combined with some light work, he again began teaching as Principal of the Union Free School at Moravia, N. Y., and remained there ten years. Leaving there he spent a year or more in Dakota, and then returned to his farm in the town of Skaneateles, N. Y. Mr. Roundy was

always noted for his zeal and enthusiasm as a teacher, and when engaged as such spared no labor, however exacting, that he might have something new to present to his classes the coming day, illustrative of the principles to be elucidated, or to awaken interest in his pupils. Until late at night, with his books about him, he would continue to study and investigate until he had mastered his subject, and then would appear before his classes the next day, to inspire them with something of his own spirit. His pupils in this city, graduates of the High School, for sixteen years, will never forget the love for study, and the ambition awakened in them for learning by his energetic spirit."

One of his former pupils, and now a successful teacher herself, in a recent publication, said of him:

"Professor Roundy's personality was wonderful. The pupil must have been obtuse indeed who could successfully resist his forceful logic. Other principals may have been more polished, but none were better loved than he. The snows of many winters have fallen upon his grave, over which has been erected a monument by his former pupils, attesting a love that endures beyond the grave. Pupils who through his teaching have attained eminence in the sciences, on the rostrum, at the bar and in every walk of life.

"Professor Roundy was a student to the day of his death, digging and delving as a day laborer in the rich mines of abstruse sciences, and making himself a master of all he sought. He died at his home in Skaneateles, September 30, 1892, and a few days afterwards was buried in Indian Mound Cemetery at Moravia, followed to the grave by many of his former pupils, sincere mourners of a dear teacher and friend."

HON. SIDNEY SMITH.

The following are extracts taken from obituary notices appearing in the public press, at the time of the decease of Mr. Smith, September 10th, 1900.

"In the death of Sidney Smith, which occurred at his residence on West Lake Street, in the village of Skaneateles, Monday morning, September 10, 1900, this village lost one of its oldest and most respected residents. He was born in the town of Spafford, in the vicinity of Borodino, January 29, 1815, on the farm of which he was the owner at the

time of his decease; he moved from this farm in 1870 and come to this village, where he resided ever afterwards. His ancestors were of New England patriotic stock, his grandfather Job Smith, being an officer in the Connecticut Line in the War of the Revolution, and his father Lewis Smith being a Lieutenant in the War of 1812. His father was also a Member of Assembly in the New York Legislature, and at one time Sheriff of the County of Onondaga. Mr. Lewis Smith came to the town of Spafford, (then Marcellus), with his father, Job Simth, about 1795, married Chloe Benson of Owasco, and brought up a remarkable family of children near Borodino, in the old New England way, among whom was the subject of this sketch, Mary Smith of Skaneateles, Dr. J. Lewis Smith of New York City, William Smith, Esq., an attorney at law, late of Sacramento, California, and Dr. Stephen Smith, also of New York City.

“Mr. Sidney Smith first married Adelia E. Blodgett, who died in 1843. He then married Miss Jennie A. Calkins, by whom were born his only children: Adelia, wife of Prof. H. F. Miner, Principal of the Skaneateles Academy, and Anna W. Smith, both residents of Skaneateles. Mr. Smith's last wife died in Skaneateles in 1887.

“Mr. Smith, while on the farm (in 1856), was elected a Member of Assembly in the New York Legislature, and after coming to this village was elected Justice of the Peace, an office which he held for about ten years. He was frequently called upon to act as executor and administrator, a function which he performed to the satisfaction of every one. He was made administrator, with the will annexed, of the estate of the late Charles Pardee of this village, and, after seventeen years of litigation, finally settled his accounts to the satisfaction of every one concerned.

“During the later years of his life he lived quietly, managing his Spafford farm, in which he took great interest, and attended to his insurance business in this village. He had a clear recollection of the early events of his native town and vicinity, (and the writer of this work is pleased to acknowledge his indebtedness to him for much valuable information in the preparation of this work.)

“Mr. Smith was a Republican in politics, and attended the Baptist Church in Skaneateles village. The writer of one of his obituary notices says of him: “His life was one

of faithful service to daily duties, a life of unusual good health and genial disposition, a life of many friendships and no enemies; all men at all times found him reliable."

SANFORD THAYER.

Sanford Thayer, Artist, son of Sanford and Sally Miner Thayer, was born in Cato, New York, July 19, 1820, and in early boyhood moved with his parents to Cold Brook. His father, who was a wheelwright by occupation, died at the latter place, August 26, 1836, leaving him surviving a large family of small children in indigent circumstances. Soon after his father's decease young Thayer who was then about seventeen years of age and the oldest of Sally Miner's children, left home and sought employment in John Legg's wagon shop, in the village of Skaneateles; here he met Charles Elliott, who was then engaged in painting pictures on the back of the old fashioned high back sleighs and cutters, then in use, and which were then being manufactured by Mr. Legg. The life of Thayer up to this period had been spent in the woods and fields; he was an ardent fisherman, and had become a lover of nature in all its forms and features; it was therefore natural, when these two artistic loving natures met, that an abiding friendship grew up between them. In these early years, when Thayer was in his prime and beauty, Elliott painted his celebrated portrait of him, which was exhibited in this and foreign countries, and first called attention to the latter, and established his reputation as one of the great artists of the world. Young Thayer, under the tutelage of Elliott, made rapid progress in the use of pencil and brush, and his reputation as an artist was also soon established in Central New York; from the time of the meeting of these two men the course of Thayer in the realm of art was ever onward and upward. At an early date he established himself in Syracuse as a portrait painter, and retained a studio there until the time of his decease. As a painter of portraits he had in early years many flattering commissions, and after the decease of Elliott, it can be truthfully said of him that in this field of art he stood for many years without a rival in Central New York. His inherent love of nature led him frequently to visit the Adirondack Wilderness, and his numerous sketches of that wild and rugged country have always been



SANFORD THAYER, ARTIST



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sought after, and demanded a good price. He was a true lover of Nature, and always interpreted her in his pictures in her happiest mood. The woods, the lakes, the fields, the fruits and the flowers, seemed to inspire him with their beauty and charms, and in his portrayal of them he appeared at his best.

He married Nancy H. Smith in 1850, and by her had two children: Mary Brownell, born in 1852 and died in 1853, and Albert F. Thayer, born in 1858. The latter lived to manhood, married a Miss Carrie Cook, but died without issue. Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Thayer died in Syracuse, the former in the Fall of 1881.

TOWN OFFICERS.

On the first Tuesday of April, 1812, one year after the formation of the town, there was held a town meeting at the house of Elisha Sabins, at which were elected the following officers, constituting the first public officials of this town:

John Babcock, Supervisor; Sylvester Wheaton, Town Clerk; Benjamin Stanton, Asahel Roundy and Elijah Knapp, Assessors; Asahel Roundy, Jonathan Berry and Adolphus French, Commissioners of the Poor; Levi Foster, Constable and Collector; Sylvanus Learned and James Williamson, Commissioners of Public Land; Elisha Sabins, Pound Master; Nehemiah Billings, Ebenezer Grout, Samuel Holmes, Daniel Scranton, James Whitman, Joel Palmer, Cornelius Williamson, Asahel Roundy, and Amos Reed, Pathmasters.

From the foregoing the reader will discover the names of some of the first residents of the town, and their status among their fellows. It would be a very unprofitable matter to give the names of all who have held office since this first meeting, and besides any list would be more or less imperfect, for the reason that some of the first officers were appointed, and not elected, and no town record made of them; also some of the leaves in the first book of records have been lost and destroyed, leaving the record incomplete. The following is believed to be a perfect list of the Supervisors elected in town, from the beginning to the present time:

John Babcock, 1812; Asahel Roundy, 1813-19; Peleg

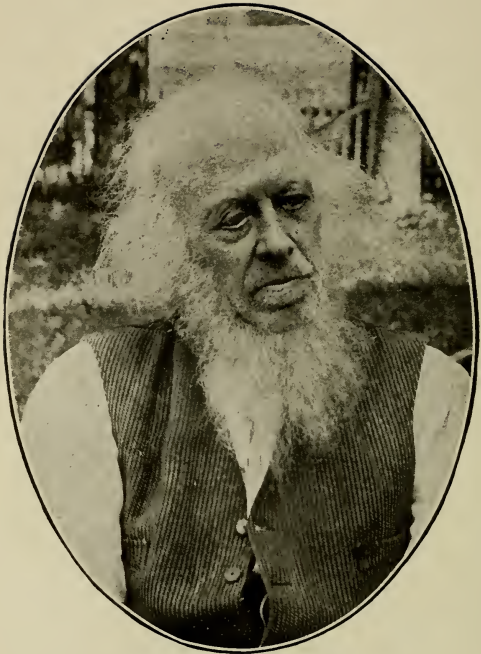
Shearman, 1820-22; Erastus Barber, 1823-4; Peleg Shearman, 1826; Asahel Roundy, 1826; Phineas Hutchens, 1827; Asahel Roundy, 1828-9; Daniel Baxter, 1830-2; John R. Lewis, 1833-36; Charles R. Vary, 1837-8; John R. Lewis, 1839-41; Joseph Bulfinch, 1844; William O'Farrell, 1845; Joseph Bulfinch, 1846; William W. Legg, 1847; Russel M. Burdick, 1848; William W. Legg, 1849; Oscar E. Moseley, 1850; Thomas B. Anderson, 1851; James H. Isdell, 1852; John L. Mason, 1853-55; Reuben T. Breed, 1856; Samuel S. Kneeland, 1857-59; David Becker, 1860; Edwin S. Edwards, 1861-3; Orrin Eddy, 1864-6; Uriah Roundy, 1867-69; Samuel H. Stanton, 1870-1; Justus N. Knapp, 1872; John McDowell, 1873-74; Henry Weston, 1875-7; Benjamin McDaniels, 1878-80; Van Dyke Tripp, 1881-3; Perry F. Woodworth, 1884-6; Harry J. Haight, 1887; William H. Bass, 1888; Willard Norton, 1889; William H. Bass, 1890; Marcus Patterson, 1891-3; Willard Norton, 1894-5; John Unckless, 1896-7; Caleb E. King, 1898-9-1900; Marcus Patterson, 1900-1903.

COMPANY AND GENERAL TRAINING.

From a very early period the American people have been accustomed to the use of firearms. Nearly every household in the town of Spafford, in early times, had a gun of some sort for the purpose of defense; and in fact a man, entering the primeval forests which at first covered these hills, would have been foolhardy without a trusty rifle at his side.

Our emigrant ancestors had hardly landed on American soil, before they discovered they had not only to deal with the wild beasts of the forests, but the American Indian was disposed to contest every advance made by them in the occupation of the land; so, almost at the beginning of their settlements about Massachusetts Bay, they were called together for military drill and Company organization. This first organization is now known as the "Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Boston." When new colonies were established other military organizations were formed, so that, eventually, every community throughout the inhabitable portion of these United States had its separate military company or organization, which was fully armed, equipped, drilled, and ready for any emergency that might arise.

This universal military organization, known as the



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Militia, was continued in the town of Spafford down to a period subsequent to the War of the United States with our Sister Republic of Mexico. Every man in town capable of bearing arms, not exempt by law, was enrolled in some Company or military organization and obliged, under penalty of Court Martial to keep himself armed and equipped, and to attend Company and battalion drill when ordered.

There was generally at least one battalion drill, known as "General Training," in each year; these were holiday occasions, looked forward to by old and young as periods of general festivity and enjoyment.

A man holding a commission as an officer, in one of these early military organizations, was generally looked up to and respected in the community where he resided, for the distinction conferred upon him, and was generally addressed by his military title.

Soon after the Mexican War compulsory service in the State Militia was discontinued, and that organization ever since has been maintained by volunteering.

SOLDIERS.

Among the Soldiers of the American Revolution who settled in the town of Spafford were the following:

Paymaster Job Smith	Oliver Hyde
Captain Samuel Holmes	Elias Jackson
Stephen Albro	Peter Knapp
Allen Breed	Joseph Lewis
Thompson Burdick	Jesse Manly
James Churchell	David Owen
John Churchell	Gilbert Palmer
Elias Davis	Samuel Prindle
Robert Fulton	Job Smith
John Green	Isaac Town
James Hiscock	Benjamin Wallace
Samuel Holmes	Henry Wentworth

Among those who served in the War of 1812 were:

Captain Asahel Roundy	Jabez Melvin
Lieut. Phineas Hutchens	Isaac Mills
Lieut. Lewis Smith	Moses Norton
Stephen Applebe	Samuel Parker
Samuel Barber	Silas Randall

John Beelar	Samuel G. Seeley
Thompson Burdick, Jr.	Russell Tinkham
Kelley Case	Cornelius Williamson
William Dedrick	Samuel Gale

The town of Spafford contributed the following soldiers to the Union Army, during the War of the Rebellion of 1861:

Lieut. George J. Foster	William Nesbitt
William B. Allen	Parmenus Norton
George C. Anderson	Perry Norton
William H. Brown	Willard Norton
John M. Churchill	Jacob Pollock
Porter Davis	Francis H. Patterson
William Derbin	Charles Weston Roundy
Ensign D. Filkins	John Unckless
William E. Fisher	John A. Uncless
Horatio Harrington	George A. Patten
George L. Hines	Edwin S. Van Benschoten
William Henry Lyon	Napoleon B. Wallace
Phineas B. Marshall	James B. Wilber
William H. Moon	Perry F. Woodworth
George Anthony	Martin Goff
John Anderson	James Nesbit
Ira W. Burdick	James McCausey
Daniel Bradley	George Phippins
George W. Case	George W. Ripley
Sidney Case	Calvin P. Stanton
Asa Clark	James Stringham
Van Buren Davis	Henry Sage
Lewis Davis	Santa Anna Wallace
Edgar Alonzo Eddy	John Worth
Charles H. Enos	Samuel Williams

Part II

Mortuary Records
with Genealogical Notes

OF THE

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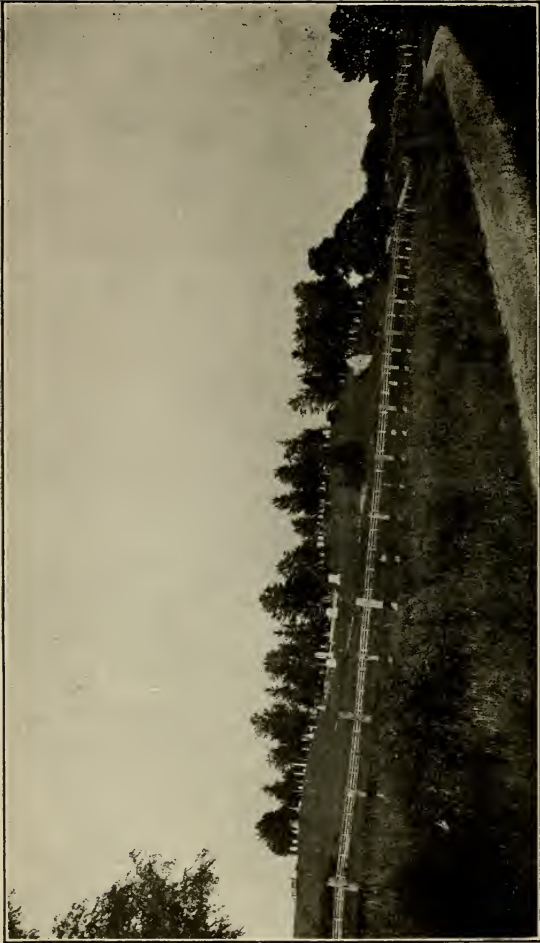
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BORODINO CEMETERY



SPAFFORD CEMETERY

INTRODUCTION

There are nine burial places within the town of Spafford, six public and three private, none of which have been incorporated, although some steps have been taken in that direction in two instances, but as yet there is no public record of any act of that kind. Of the six public cemeteries two, known as the old Borodino and the Nunnery Cemeteries, have been abandoned and are now in disuse, leaving four, one at Borodino, one at Spafford Corners, one at Cold Brook, and one at Spafford Hollow, still in public use and in fair condition. Of the three private burial plots, known as the Davis, Lewis, and Stanton Yards, only the latter is now in the possession and keeping of the family making use of it, and is in fair condition, but in the case of the other two, which have gone out of the possession of the original families for whose use they were set apart, they are sadly neglected and gone to waste, as such plots sooner or later always will be under similar circumstances.

Outside of the places enumerated above, there is a single grave of a Mrs. Parker, on the Breed Farm on Lot No. 11, Tully, and there is said to be one or two unmarked graves on Lot 77, Marcellus; but as to these, in the absence of stones to designate them, even the names of those interred cannot now be ascertained.

Just north of the town line, in the adjacent town of Marcellus, is a public cemetery connected with the Thorn Hill Baptist Church, which is quite generally used by the people residing in the northern end of this town as a burial place for their dead. The tombstone records of this Cemetery also appear in the following pages, as a full statement of the dead of this town would be incomplete without them.

In closing this brief introduction it seems proper to say that, in the preparation of the following pages, it became necessary to visit the several burial places located in this town, and observe their condition. It appears that, in many

instances, private care and attention has been bestowed upon portions of the several general cemeteries now in use, but there has been no general or systematic care and attention given to these burial places, such as the enlightened and progressive spirit of the present age seems to demand. These four public cemeteries, now in use, should be incorporated, and proper officials appointed, who will receive the generous gifts which tender and loving hearts are always willing to make, for purposes of this kind, and judiciously expend the same in beautifying, preserving and caring for these sacred places, made hallowed by the ashes of our beloved dead.

Mortuary Records and Genealogical Notes

ACKLES.

Almira (Davis), wife of Ovid Ackles, died February 14, 1861, age 34 years.

Ovid Ackles, son of Horton and Mary Ackles, and grandson of William Ackles, was born in LaFayette, N. Y., and came to this town, with his parents and his brother Samuel, about 1840; his father and mother returned to LaFayette, where the former died in 1880, and the latter in 1883. Ovid Ackles married (1) Almira Davis, daughter of Zebulon and Hannah (Ames) Davis, (2) ———— Cook, and (3) Esther Cornue. After the decease of his first wife, he also returned to LaFayette, where he died. His children by his first wife, born in Spafford, were: Robert, married Cecelia Woolsey; Mary, married Martin Strail; Frank H., married Flora Garfield, daughter of Daniel Garfield of LaFayette; and George H., married Jennie Carr. By his second wife (Cook) Mr. Ackles had one daughter, Dora, married Louis Ruhlman; and by his third wife (Esther Cornue), Mr. Ackles had: Jennie and Lena, each now (1899) residing in Tully unmarried.

William Ackles, the grandfather of Ovid Ackles, at an early date came from Orange County, N. Y., first to Cayuga County, and then to LaFayette, with five brothers and a sister: John, Charles, Brant, Richard, Tartulus and Sarah, and resided there until his decease.

Robert Ackles (son of Ovid) by his wife, Cecilia Woolsey, had several children.

Frank H. Ackles (son of Ovid), who is a commercial traveler, by his wife Flora Garfield, has one son, Horace F. Ackles, who is unmarried, an artist, and resides in Washington, D. C.

George H. Ackles, (the third son of Ovid), resides in Preble, N. Y., and by his wife Jennie Carr had: Mortimer A., married Annie Colton, daughter of David Colton, Editor of Skaneateles Democrat, resides in Skaneateles, N. Y.;

Harley Jaman Ackles, unmarried, assistant editor Skaneateles Democrat, resides in Skaneateles, N. Y.; and Ina May Ackles unmarried.

(Thorn Hill)

Matilda (Spaulding), wife of Samuel Ackles, Died January 15, 1864, age 36 years, 9 months, 8 days.

Samuel Ackles, son of Horton and Mary Ackles and grandson of William Ackles, was born in Christian Hollow, in the town of LaFayette, N. Y., May 20, 1819. He came to this town with his parents and brother, Ovid Ackles, about 1840. Like his father before him he is a farmer; resides near Thorn Hill, N. Y.; he married (1) Matilda Spaulding, daughter of Isaac and Didama (Allen) Spaulding, February 10, 1853, and (2) Mary Harvey, daughter of Paul and Sally (Hisocck) Harvey. By his second wife Mr. Ackles had two children: Grace, born March 4, 1868, married Frank B. Mills, (seedman at Rose Hill), son of George C. and Eliza J. (Finch) Mills, P. O., Rose Hill, N. Y., (they have one son, Frank B. Mills, Jr.); and W. Harvey Ackles, born October 22, 1870, married Nettie Smith; he is a farmer, residing near Thorn Hill, N. Y. Mr. Samuel Ackles' first wife, Matilda Spaulding, was a descendant of Edward Spaulding, who settled in Braintree, Mass., about 1634, and died at Chelmsford in the same State about 1653, in the eighth generation: Matilda, Isaac, Jeremiah, Jeremiah, Isaac, Edward, John, Edward.

(Borodino).

ADAMS.

In Memory of Roderick C. Adams, Died July 27, 1844, age 70 years, 7 months, 7 days.

(Borodino).

Philander C., son of Roderick C. and Nancy Adams, Died November 17, 1844, age 16 years, 9 months, 22 days.

(Borodino).

In Memory of Timothy Adams, who died 16 August, 1812, in the 52 year of his age.

(On February 25, 1806, he received a deed of the north half of the States Hundred Acres on lot 74, Marcellus, and conveyed the same in March following, without wife. In his will, dated January 29, 1812, and probated September

5th of the same year, after a small bequest to the 1st Baptist Church of Marcellus, (Thorn Hill), he gave his estate equally to his mother, Reley Adams, and his sisters, Lydia Case and Rebecca Woodford.)

(Old Cemetery, Borodino).

ADLAM.

Stephen, son of Richard and Charlotte Adlam, Died March 24, 1872, age 20 years.

(Richard and Charlotte Adlam, born in England, were the common ancestors of the Spafford Hollow Adlams.)

(Spafford Hollow.)

Emma Jane, daughter of Richard and Charlotte Adlam, died July 5, 1854, age 1 year 9 months.

(Spafford Hollow.)

Alice P. (Moss), wife of John Adlam, died January 6, 1891, age 30 years, 5 months. (John Adlam, son of Richard and Charlotte Adlam, married Alice P. Moss, daughter of William Moss.)

(Spafford Hollow.)

R. Lewis, son of John and Alice P. (Moss) Adlam, died January 15, 1891, age 11 months.

(Spafford Hollow.)

ALBRO.

Freelove, wife of Stephen Albro, died January 23, 1838, age 75 years. (Stephen Albro was a soldier of the Revolution.)

(Borodino.)

ALLEN.

Aaron Allen, died October 25, 1848, in 68 years.

(Aaron Allen, at the time of his decease, resided on lot 52, Marcellus, in the present town of Skaneateles. In his will, dated October 17, 1848, and probated January 10, 1849, he mentioned his wife Tryphena S. Allen, and his children: Julia S. Wiltsie, Harriet R. Benedict, Mary D. Allen, and Arvine K. Allen.)

(Thorn Hill.)

Tryphena S., wife of Aaron Allen, died October 12, 1873, age 90 years.

(Thorn Hill.)

Ellen M., daughter of Aaron and Tryphena S. Allen, died May 22, 1856, age 22 years, 5 months, 5 days.

“Reader stand still and drop a tear,
Think of the dust that slumbers here,
And when you read the fate of me
Think of the glass that runs for thee.”

(Thorn Hill.)

Mary D. Allen, (daughter of Aaron and Tryphena S. Allen), died April 26, 1892, age 71 years.

(Thorn Hill.)

ALVORD.

Deary, son of Thomas R. and Sarah A. (Webster) Alvord, died September 10, 1864, age 4 years, 8 days.

(Thomas R. Alvord married Sarah A. Webster, daughter of William and Mary Webster.)

(Cold Brook.)

ANDERSON.

John Anderson, died September 30, 1890, age 83 years, 3 months, 16 days.

(He was born June 14, 1807, and married Catherine Olds, June 25, 1832. Mr. Anderson was, for many years, Captain of an Artillery Company organized at Borodino, where he resided nearly all his lifetime. In his will, dated September 23, 1890, and probated December 1, 1890, he mentions his wife Catherine (Olds) Anderson, and his children: John H. Anderson of Georgetown, California; and George C. Anderson of Spafford; he also mentions his daughter-in-law, Delphene Anderson, wife of John H.; his sister, Catherine Tupper of Michigan; and his niece, Betsey Tupper, daughter of his sister Catherine. George C. Anderson is an employe of the general government at Washington and unmarried.)

(Borodino.)

Catherine Olds Anderson, (wife of John Anderson), died March 13, 1891, aged 78 years and 3 days.

(Borodino.)

Jennie, daughter of John and Catherine (Olds) Anderson, died January 11, 1880, age ——— (No stone.)

(Borodino.)

Cornelius Anderson, died June 9, 1843, age 30 years.
(He was a brother of John Anderson and died unmarried.)
(Borodino.)

Rebecca Anderson, died October 22, 1830, age 24 years.
(She was an adopted daughter of Stephen Smith and died unmarried.)

(Thorn Hill.)

Among the Andersons who resided in this town, and who left no dead were: Thomas B. Anderson and his three sisters: Eliza, Susan and Louisa, who were born on the east shore of Maryland, and from there first moved to Elicott Mills in the same State, and at an early date to this town and settled in Borodino. Thomas B., married Caroline Grout, daughter of John and Elizabeth (Clark) Grout, he was a merchant. He and his wife died in Pennsylvania, but were buried in Oakwood Cemetery, Syracuse, N. Y.; they were father and mother of Mrs. R. A. Bonta, whose husband is Cashier of New York State Banking Company of Syracuse, N. Y.; Eliza, married Edward Baxter, died and was buried in Liverpool, N. Y.; Susan, married Thomas Jenkins at Elicott Mills, Md., she died in Syracuse, N. Y., mother of Clinton Jenkins of Syracuse, N. Y.; and Louisa, married Orrin Stebbins, resided in Betts' Corner, but died and was buried in Phoenix, Oswego County, N. Y.

ANDREWS.

Little George, son of Dudley and Calista (Perkins) Andrews, died August 31, 1853, age 6 months.

(Dudley Andrews was a son of Elder Benjamin Andrews, who came from Groton, Tompkins County, N. Y., and for many years ministered over the Baptist Church at Spafford Corners. By his wife Mary, Elder Andrews had the following children: Dudley, m. Calista Perkins, daughter of Hopkins and Polly Perkins; John P., m. Harriet —————; Christopher, died unmarried; Susan, m. Nelson Perkins, son of Hopkins and Polly Perkins; Mary, m. (1) Nelson Shaw, (2) Stephen Foote; Sophia, m. in Groton and never came to this town; Lovina, m. Elder Bennett; and Melissa F., m. Asahel M. Roundy, son of Asahel and Hannah (Weston) Roundy.

John Andrews, by his wife Harriet, had the following: Dudley B., m. Helen Ripley, daughter of David and Sarah Jane (Eliot) Ripley, (7 children); Sophia, m. Charles Ripley, son of David and Sarah Jane (Eliot) Ripley, (3 children); and Benjamin, died in the army in Florida, near close of War of 1861.

(Cold Brook.)

ANGEL

In memory of Anna, wife of Abraham Angel, died February 17, 1839, age 79 years, 3 months, 13 days.

“Go home my friends

Wipe off your tears,

Here I must lie

’Till Christ appears.”

(She came to this town about 1830, and probably resided with her daughter, Polly Angel, wife of Peleg Sprague, on lot 10, Sempronius, in the Nunnery settlement. In her will, dated September 1, 1834, and probated April 30, 1839, she mentioned her children: Polly Sprague, wife of Peleg Sprague, and (Gerusha) Mehitable Lewis, wife of Gershom Lewis.)

(Borodino.)

ANTHONY.

Isaac Anthony, (son of Giles and Alice (Chase) Anthony), born August 12, 1796, died November 16, 1858.

(Borodino.)

(Mr. Anthony was of Quaker descent and born in Portsmouth, R. I. He came to this town from Cambridge, Washington Co., N. Y., where he probably married his wife Parmelia Phelps, daughter of Daniel Phelps, and settled June 10, 1823, on Lot 12, Sempronius, where he remained until his decease.

His emigrant ancestor, John Anthony, (born 1607, died July 28, 1675) came to this country, April 16, 1630, from Hemstead, England, in the ship Hercules, and finally settled in Portsmouth, R. I., where he was made freeman, March 16, 1641. His wife Susanna died in 1675. Their children were: John, Susannah, Elizabeth, Joseph and *Abraham*.

Abraham Anthony (John), died Octobed 10, 1727. He was

Deputy in 1703-4-5-7-8-9-10-11. In the years 1709-10 he held the office of Speaker of the House of Deputies. He married December 26 1671, Alice Wodell, daughter of William and Mary Wodell, and by her had: (at Portsmouth, R. I.), the following children: John, Susanna, Mary, William, Susanna (2), Mary (2), *Abraham*, Thomas, Alice, James, Amy, Isaac and Jacob.

Abraham Anthony, Jr., (Abraham, John) born April 21, 1682, married February 7, 1716-7 at Swansey, R. I., Elizabeth Gray, and had children: (first seven in Swansey, and the balance in Portsmouth) as follows: Abraham, Mary, Edward, Thomas, Philip, Elizabeth, *Isaac*, Sarah, Elisha, Jonathan, Peleg and Daniel.

Isaac Anthony (Abraham, Abraham, John) born 7th, 3 m 1727 at Swansey, R. I. (m 1) February 15, 1753, Ruth Russell (daughter of Seth and Hannah Russel of Dartmouth, (2) November 19, 1760, Hannah Slocum, daughter of Giles and Ann Slocum, (3) Rebecca ————— and had the following: (by first wife): Honnah, Isaac, and Seth, and (by second wife): *Giles*, Ruth, and Seth, and (by third wife): Rebecca, Alice and Isaac.

Giles Anthony (Isaac, Abraham, Abraham, John) b. October 20, 1761, married at Portsmouth, R. I., January 4, 1786, Alice Chase, daughter of Aaron and Elizabeth Chase, and by her had the following (born at Portsmouth): Hannah, b. October 27, 1789; Alice, b. October 11, 1792; Giles, b. July 15, 1794; *Isaac*, b. August 12, 1796; Harriet, b. July 21, 1799; Elizabeth, b. February 1, 1802; and Mary, b. February 25, 1805.

Isaac Anthony (Giles, Isaac, Abraham, Abraham, John) b. August 12, 1796, at Portsmouth, R. I. In his will, dated August 2, 1858, and probated March 3, 1859, he mentions his wife, Parmelia Anthony, and his children: Julius, P. Anthony and Catherine Galt, wife of Thomas A. Galt, of Sterling, Whiteside Co., Illinois; Elliott Anthony, of Chicago, Illinois; Daniel P. Anthony, Jane Harvey, wife of Dorwin Harvey, son of Medad and Anar (Buell) Harvey, Sarah Anthony, and Ruth Anthony of Spafford, N. Y. Giles died before his father.)

(Borodino.)

Sarah P. Anthony, (daughter of Isaac and Pamela

(Phelps) Anthony), born October 16, 1837, died January 28, 1862. (Borodino.)

Giles, son of Isaac and Pamela (Phelps) Anthony, died November 9, 1853, age 30 years.

“ Rest brother, rest from all thy toils
Now death hath set thee free;
Though thou art seen no more by us
Thou shalt with Jesus be.”

(Borodino.)

Martha A. (Shaw), wife of George H. Anthony, died October 26, 1868, age 35 years, 6 months.

“ Gone but not forgotten.”

(George H. Anthony, son of Harvey Anthony, married (1) Martha A. Shaw, daughter of James Shaw of Spafford Hollow, and (2) Esther Root, daughter of Henry and Anna Root, also of Spafford Hollow.)

(Cold Brook.)

Esther (Root), wife of George H. Anthony).

(Cold Brook.)

ARNOLD.

Lydia, widow of Joseph Arnold, died October 1, 1846, in the 76th year of her age.

(She was the mother of Mrs. Harriet Lyon, wife of David T. Lyon, and came from Otisco, N. Y.)

(Spafford.)

AVERY.

James Avery and his wife Mercy came to this town at an early date, and settled on the southwest corner of Lot 21, Tully; these lands he and his wife conveyed to Benjamin Homer, November 29, 1811. He then purchased and resided for a short time on the southwest corner of Lot 33, Tully, but sold it to Jonathan Berry in 1824, and moved on to Lot 41, Tully, all of which he had purchased except Survey 50 acres in the northeast corner. His residence, during his remaining stay in town, was near the Joseph Prindle residence, so well known on said lot in subsequent years. Lot 41 was conveyed by him in parcels to Thompson Burdick (1819), Elmer D. Jenks (1822), Elijah Baker (1826), and to Caleb N. Potter (January, 1829 and December 1829).

He was Trustee of the 1st Free Will Baptist Church in 1828, and as such was one of the grantees of the lands upon which the church edifice of that society was erected about that time. He left no descendants in this town, and very little is known of him even by the old residents, outside of his numerous business transactions, which indicate that he was an active and successful business man. Of his family no record remains.

BABCOCK.

Elihu Babcock, (son of John and Ruth Babcock), died January 8, 1819, age 40 years.

(He came probably from Cambridge, Washington Co., N. Y., to Spafford, (then Tully), before February 13, 1810, and settled on Lot 10, Sempronius, among the first settlers. At the time of his decease he was residing on a farm of 131 acres, owned by him in the southwest corner of said lot, running down to the east shore of Skaneateles Lake. In his will, dated January 19, 1819, and probated March 4, 1819, he mentions his wife Hannah Babcock, and his children: Thomas, Malentha, (m. Calvin Streeter), Cyrus, Ruth, Worden and Sophia.)

(Thorn Hill.)

Ruth, daughter of Elihu and Hannah Babcock, died March 19, 1836, age 22 years.

(She died unmarried.)

(Thorn Hill.)

John Babcock, Jr., (son of John and Ruth Babcock), died October 24, 1849, age 68 years.

(He probably came early from Washington Co., N. Y., among the first settlers, and took up his residence near his brother Elihu, on Lot 10, Sempronius, and subsequently moved into the Village of Borodino, where he remained until his decease; he was a cooper by trade. He married first Nancy Stoddard, second Ellis Wallace, daughter of Daniel and Mary (Low) Wallace, and third Lucy Sprague, widow of Solomon Sprague. His children were: Laura Ann, m. Asa Hall, son of Samuel and Elizabeth (Macumber) Hall; Lovina, m. Worden Babcock, son of Elihu and Hannah Babcock; Ira, m. Julianna Palmer, daughter of Amos and Mary (Barber) Palmer, April 13, 1834; Matilda; Mercy, m.

Willet Palmer, son of Amos and Mary (Barber) Palmer; Rebecca, Hannah, John, Elihu, Darius, Isaac, Permelia, m. (1) Jacob Pollock and (2) George W. Breed, son of Rufus and Mehitable Breed; and Charles, b. February 21, 1840, died in Dallas, Nebraska, December 16, 1897, m. Charlotte Walker, January 1, 1863, in Pennsylvania.)

(Borodino.)

Worden Babcock, died January 3, 1849, age 29 years, 7 months, 5 days.

(Borodino.)

John H. Babcock, born October 11, 1807 died May 5, 1874.

“ At Rest.”

(He is not known to be related to the other Babcock families of this town. He resided, at the time of his decease, on the place known as “ Split Rock,” east of the Skaneateles and Homer road, on the N. W. corner of lot 12, Sempronius.)

(Borodino.)

Willie J., son of William and Elizabeth Babcock, died January 23, 1875, age 1 year, 1 month.

(William Babcock was a son of John H. Babcock.)

(Borodino.)

Sarah Lavinda (Carr), wife of Thomas A. Babcock. Died January 9, 1873, age 38 years 2 months, 14 days.

(She was a daughter of Thurston and Lorane (Green) Carr. Sarah, Thruston, William, Thurston, Caleb, Caleb, Caleb, Robert, Benjamin.)

(Spafford.)

Elizabeth (Bulfinch), wife of John Babcock, died December 18, 1851, in her 74th year.

(She was a sister of Joseph Bulfinch. Her husband, John Babcock, was one of the first settlers in town, (Oct. 8, 1806) and lived on 47 acres west of the Skaneateles and Homer road, on lot 21, Tully, at Spafford Corners, the same farm afterwards owned and occupied successively by Silas Cox, Joseph Cole and Dr. John Collins. He was at one time prominent in town affairs, being the first Supervisor at the organization of the town of Spafford in 1812. He went West about 1825.

(Spafford.)

BACON.

Amos Bacon, died July 24, 1840, age 72 years.

(He married Abigail Cady and had: William, m. Phebe Isdell, daughter of Andrew and Mary (Harris) Isdell; Amos, Jr., m. Clarissa Fowler; John, m. Sally Churchill, daughter of John and Martha Churchill; Achsah, m. Willard Doty, son of Warren and Sarah (Wood) Doty; and Abigail, who died at 22, unmarried.)

(Cold Brook.)

Abigail (Cady), wife of Amos Bacon, died February 14, 1844, age 72 years.

(Cold Brook.)

Abigail, daughter of Amos and Abigail (Cady) Bacon, died March 1, 1835, age 22 years, 1 month, 10 days.

“Death is a debt to nature due,
Which I have paid and so must you.”

(Cold Brook.)

John Bacon, (son of Amos and Abigail (Cady) Bacon), died April 22, 1844, age 43 years, 9 months.

(He married Sally Churchill, daughter of John and Martha Churchill, and had: Warren, died unmarried; David, m. Ruth E. House, and moved to Chautauqua Co., N. Y.; Phelena, moved to Campbell, Mich., and married a Mr. Gibson; Harrison, m. Frances Churchill, daughter of Orville and Mary J. (Riggall) Churchill; and Irene, died young.)

(Cold Brook.)

Sally (Churchill), wife of John Bacon, died May 24, 1899, age 90 years.

(Cold Brook.)

Warren Bacon, (son of John and Sally (Churchill) Bacon). Died June 6, 1850, age 24 years.

(He died unmarried.)

(Cold Brook.)

Irene Bacon, (daughter of John and Sally (Churchill) Bacon). Died December 16, 1836, age 15 months.

(Cold Brook.)

Cora, daughter of David and Ruth E. (House) Bacon, died October 9, 1860, age 20 months.

(David Bacon, son of John and Sally (Churchill) Bacon,

married Ruth E. House. He moved to Chautauqua County, N. Y.)

(Cold Brook.)

Frances (Churchill), wife of Harrison Bacon, died February 11, 1885, age 30 years.

Harrison Bacon, son of John and Sally (Churchill) Bacon, married Frances Churchill, daughter of Orville and Mary J. (Riggall) Churchill.)

(Cold Brook.)

In memory of John H. Bacon, who died June 18, 1834, in the 24th year of his age.

(Cold Brook.)

Orson, son of Amos (Jr.) and Clarissa (Fowler) Bacon, died March 3, 1857, age 14 years, 9 months, 19 days.

“O! that with yonder sacred throng

We at his feet may fall,

And pour the everlasting song

And crown Him Lord of All.”

(Amos Bacon, Jr., son of Amos and Abigail (Cady) Bacon, married Clarissa Fowler.)

(Spafford.)

Augustus, son of Amos (Jr.) and Clarissa (Fowler) Bacon, died June 5, 1858, age 21 years, 8 months, 15 days.

(Spafford.)

Sarah E., daughter of James and Martha (Woodworth) Bacon, died August 17, 1877, age 1 year, 9 months, 24 days.

(She sleeps.”

(James Bacon, son of William and Phebe (Isdell) Bacon, married Martha Woodworth, daughter of Joel C. and Sarah (Eadie) Woodworth. William Bacon, son of Amos and Abigail (Cady) Bacon, in his will dated December 14, 1878, and probated February 10, 1879, mentions his wife Phebe Bacon, and his children: James (above mentioned), of Spafford, N. Y.; John, of Junius, Seneca Co., N. Y.; Charles, m. Emma J. Davis, daughter of Col. Lewis C. and Mary (Pressy) Davis of Spafford, N. Y., Emeline, m. Arlo Woodworth, son of Joel C. and Sarah (Eadie) Woodworth, then of Spafford, N. Y.; Wesley, of Junius, Seneca Co., N. Y., and Frank of Spafford, N. Y., then all of full age. William died at Spafford, December 17, 1878, three days after making his will, at the age of 68 years.

(Spafford.)

Perry D., son of Charles and Emma J. (Davis) Bacon, died November 15, 1878, age 5 years, 5 months, 25 days.

(Charles Bacon, son of William and Phebe (Isdell) Bacon, married Emma J. Davis, daughter of Col. Lewis C. and Mary (Pressey) Davis.)

(Spafford.)

BAKER.

Ashbel S. Baker, (son of Simeon C. Baker), died December 25, 1849, age 29 years, 1 month, 22 days.

(He was a son of Simeon C. Baker of Marietta, N. Y., and m. (1) Sarah A. Streeter, daughter of Alexander R. and Susan (Carpenter) Streeter, and (2) Norrissa ————. He died from an injury received in a friendly scuffle with Charles Bailey. He left him surviving, his widow Norrissa Baker, and children: Sarah Ann, afterwards m. Roland Rollo of Sennett, N. Y.; Charles, and Clarrissa Baker, all three minors; the first of whom was adopted into the family of Orrin Eddy, whose wife Harriet Streeter was her aunt.)

(Borodino.)

Sarah A. (Streeter), wife of Ashbel S. Baker, died May 5, 1845, age 21 years, 3 months, 13 days.

(She was a daughter of Alexander R. and Susan (Carpenter) Streeter).

(Borodino.)

Sally Ann (Taft), wife of Ziba D. Baker, died March 26, 1846, age 34 years.

(Ziba D. Baker, son of Josiah and Sally Baker, married Sally Ann Taft, daughter of Ellis and Cynthia (Knapp) Taft; they were father and mother of Cynthia, widow of Benjamin McDaniels, deceased, and now a resident of this town. Josiah Baker died in this town and was buried in Borodino Cemetery (no stone). He had by his wife Sally the following children: Sally, m. Mr. Carley; Ziba D., (mentioned above); Susan, m. Gardner Barber (dead); George, m. Mary Ann Austin, resides in Chicago, Ill.; and Morris Baker, resides in Independence, Iowa.)

(Cold Brook.)

BALL.

Charles T., son of J. M. and H. M. Ball, died October 28, 1850, age 2 years, 1 month, 21 days.

(Mr. J. M. Ball was a shoemaker, and a transient resident of Borodino.)

(Borodino.)

BARBER.

Ruluf Barber, died May 31, 1832, in his 49th year.

(In his will, dated May 29, 1832, and probated July 27, 1832, he mentions his wife Annice Barber, and his children: Ruluf Jerome, (m. Samantha Young; she subsequently m. James H. Isdell), of Spafford, N. Y.; Emily; Calvin, (m. Amanda A. ———); Everett, (m. Louisa ———), moved to Michigan; Lucian; Sylvia, (m. Ira Young of Cayuga Co., N. Y.); Homon (m. Harriet Mason); Sarah Ann, (m. James Smith); and Daniel Hugh Barber.)

(Cold Brook.)

In memory of Jerome Ruluf Barber, (son of Ruluf and Annice Barber), who died October 23, 1837, age 33 years, 9 months, 17 days.

“He’s gone to rest, thy husband dear,
Then why shoulds’t thou complain,
Or grieve, or sigh, or shed a tear,
Or wish him back again?”

(He married Samantha Young, who after his decease married (2) James H. Isdell, son of Andrew and Mary (Harris) Isdell; she and her second husband are both now deceased.)

(Cold Brook.)

Emily, daughter of Ruluf and Annice Barber, died November 24, 1839, age 34 years, 5 months, 6 days.

(Cold Brook.)

Loin, son of Ruluf and Annice Barber, died August 13 1827, in his 3rd year.

(Cold Brook.)

Mr. Lucian, son of Ruluf and Annice Barber, died June 4, 1835, age 21 years, 2 months, 18 days.

(Cold Brook.)

James M., son of Samuel and Thankful Barber, died Oct. 10, 1825, age 10 months, 16 days.

(Spafford.)

Rathbone Spafford, 1807-1887.

Julia A. (w.), 1816-1888.

Menry J. Barber, 1814.

(Spafford.)

Robe (Wilcox), wife of Rathbone Barber, died November 4, 1859, age 77 years, 9 months, 11 days.

(After the death of his wife Robe Rathbone moved to Junius, N. Y., where he married a second time. He died at the latter place and was buried there by the side of his second wife. By his wife Robe he had the following children: Rathbone, Jr., m. Julania Ann Harris, daughter of William and Nancy (Davis) Harris; Jeremiah, m. and lived in Junius, Seneca Co., N. Y.; Reuben W., m. Purlina Morris, daughter of Samuel and Jane (Springer) Morris resided in Barry Co., Mich., and had three daughters there; Charles, m. Betsey Randall, daughter of Silas and Mercy (Harrington) Randall; Ruth, m. Jerome Reed, and resided in Allegany Co., N. Y.; Robey, m. Clark Havens (both dead); and Daniel, m. Cornelia Belknapp, and died in Pennsylvania. Rathbone was a brother of Mary Barber who married Amos Palmer.)

(Spafford.)

Paulina Morris, widow of Reuben W. Barber, 1825-1857.

(Spafford.)

Henry E., died March 3, 1874, age 8 months, 2 days.

Julia A., died July 2, 1878, age 2 years, 7 months, 6 days.

Children of Bradford and Phebe (Cox) Barber.

Bradford Barber was a son of Rathbone, Jr., and Julania Ann (Harris) Barber. Rathbone Barber, Jr. lived most of his life on the Psalter Pullman farm on Lot 32, Sempronius, where were born to him by his wife Julania the following children: Addison, m. Juliette Servant, and resides in the town of Niles, Cayuga Co., N. Y.; Frederick m. Alvira Servant, and resides in Niles, N. Y.; Frank, m. (1) Mary Owen, (2) Samantha Belknapp, and resides in Skaneateles Village, N. Y.; Bradford, m. Phebe Cox, resides in Niles, N. Y.; Alice, m. John Randall, son of Hosea and Charlotte (Clark) Randall, resides in Scott, P. O. address, Glen Haven; Mary, m. Harrison Morris, son of Uriah and

Frances (Worden) Morris, Skaneateles Village, N. Y.; Jane (mute), resides unmarried, in Spafford, N. Y., and Lewis, m. Amy Johnson and resides in Niles, N. Y. Rathbone, Jr., and his wife Julania, at the time of their decease, were living in the town of Niles, N. Y., but both were buried in Spafford Cemetery. (No stone.)

(Spafford.)

BARKER.

Darius Barker, died July 3, 1840, age 43 years, 9 months, 23 days.

(Darius Barker came to this town from Easton, Washington Co., N. Y., May 4th, 1832, and settled on lots 41 and 42, Tully, where he remained until his decease; by his wife Mary Cooper, he had the following children: William C., m. Betsey Ann Knapp, daughter of Elijah and Betsey (Burdick) Knapp, resides in Homer, N. Y.; Charles, moved to Chautauqua Co., N. Y.; Cornelia, m. (1) George W. Lyon, son of David L. and Harriet (Arnold) Lyon, and (2) John Wallace, born in Ireland, she resides in Spafford, N. Y.; Sarah Mary, m. John Cotterall, he is dead and she resides in Scott, N. Y.; Charlotte, m. (1) James Hill Norton, son of Robert and Susan (Hill) Norton; (2) Mr. Tanner, she is now dead; Caroline, m. William Smith and moved to California; and Benejah, m. in Oregon and died in Washington, D. C., his widow and one child still reside in the latter place.

William Cooper Barker, by his wife Betsey Ann Knapp, had the following children: George Eugene, (physician and surgeon) m. (1) Helen Elisiff Westcott, (2) Ada Scammell (both wives now dead), resides in Spafford, N. Y.; Charles Emerson, m. Ida Norton, daughter of Erastus and Mary (Isdell) Norton, of Spafford, N. Y., and Perry Knapp, m. Cornelia Desdemonia Knapp (second cousin), daughter of George Frink and Betsey Ann (Gale) Knapp, resides in Homer, N. Y.)

Mary, widow of Darius Barker, died February 18, 1889, age 93.

(Spafford.)

Messer Barker at an early date was a merchant in the Village of Borodino; he also dealt extensively in real estate,

commencing these transactions April 28, 1818 and ending April 1, 1840, in which his wife, Ann Eliza, joined. In the latter part of the year 1838 he moved from Borodino and settled in Plymouth, Richland Co., Ohio.

Hon. Sidney Smith says: "Messer Barker had a family of one son and I think four daughters. They were an unusually bright family; they left Borodino for Ohio before they were fully grown." The son, Frank Barker, married and died in Ohio.

BARNES.

Harvey Barnes, died May 14, 1891, age 87 years.

(He married Avalinda Holmes, daughter of John and Lydia Holmes, and by her had: Edwin F. m. Mary A. Travis, daughter of John Travis; and Christina, m. (1860) William H. Clark, son of Amasa P. and Lydia (Bingham) Clark, of Borodino, N. Y.)

(Borodino.)

Edwin F. Barnes, (son of Harvey and Avalinda (Holmes) Barnes.) Died December 10, 1872, age 32 years, 10 months, 17 days.

(He married Mary A. Travis, daughter of John Travis.)

(Borodino.)

Laura, daughter of Noah and Julia Barnes, died April 23, 1835, age 23 years, 1 month.

(Borodino.)

Hiram Barnes, died November 1, 1842, age 42 years, 3 months, 6 days.

He was a brother of Harvey Barnes.

(Borodino.)

BATES.

Mary A. (Sharp), wife of Ransford R. Bates, died February 23, 1862, age 39 years, 9 months, 10 days.

(She was a daughter of Chester and Anice (Churchill) Sharp, and a granddaughter of John and Martha Churchill, one of the first settlers in Cold Brook.)

(Cold Brook.)

BAXTER.

Several members of the Baxter family came to this town from Pittsfield, Mass., at an early date, and settled at Borodino and in that vicinity, among whom were Daniel, John, William Bently, Edward and Septimus, five brothers, and possibly one or more sisters, but of the sisters we have no positive information; and in fact nothing more is known of Septimus than his name. Daniel Baxter came before the Fall of 1817, and first settled on lot 14, Sempronius, west of the Center, but in course of one or two years thereafter moved to the Village of Borodino, where he carried on a general mercantile business for twelve or fifteen years thereafter. From 1817 to 1832 he had numerous real estate transactions in Borodino and in that vicinity, in which he was joined by his wife Susan. He was Supervisor of the town in the years 1830-1-2, and his general reputation was that of a substantial business man. He was Member of Assembly of the New York Legislature from this town in 1828. He went West early in the thirties.

John Baxter resided in the Village of Borodino before the Marcellus end of the town was incorporated into the original town of Spafford. He was a successful farmer and business man, and sometimes acted as surveyor; several of the roads of the town were laid out and surveyed by him, and are so recorded in the town records. In his real estate transactions he is joined by his wife Delia; he also went West and settled in Michigan.

William Bentley Baxter married Mary Hillebert, daughter of John C. and Elizabeth (Berry) Hillebert. He was also a farmer residing near Borodino and went West.

Edward Baxter came originally from Pittsfield, Mass., to Volney, Oswego Co., N. Y., and from there moved to Borodino, where he carried on a general mercantile business for a number of years. From Borodino he moved to Phoenix, Oswego County, N. Y., and from there to Liverpool, N. Y., where he remained until his decease. While residing in Borodino he married Eliza Anderson, sister of Thomas B. Anderson, then of that place, and by her had three children, the first two born in Borodino and the last in Phoenix; George, born March 6, 1839, married Anice Sitts, of Clay, N. Y.; he has been for several years Supervisor of the Town

of Salina, is a successful business man and now resides in Liverpool, N. Y.; Charles, born 1843, married and resides in Arizona; Clinton, born 1846, and is also married, residence unknown.

Mr. Edward Baxter died in Liverpool in September, 1895, at the advanced age of 91 years, and was buried at that place; his wife died in 1862 or 3, and was also buried at the same place.

BEARSE.

Aaron Bearse, died February 14, 1842, age 58 years.

(He married (1) Phebe Smith, (2) Rebecca Earl, daughter of David and Anna Earl, and (3) Harriet Cleveland, sister of Benajah Cleveland. He came to this town among the early settlers and took up his residence on a farm, probably under a contract, on lot 13, Sempronius, for which he subsequently took a deed, February 29, 1812. In his will, dated November 16, 1841, and probated February 24, 1842, he mentions his wife Harriet Bearse, and his children: David; Lyman, m. Mary Emily Langdon, he died West before October 13, 1853; Isabenda (m. 1) Anson Churchell, son of James and Hannah (Dobbs) Churchell, and (2) Albert E. Fulton, son of Emerson Fulton; Ford; Aaron E.; Ward, m. Mary Burns, daughter of Felix and Elizabeth (Walace) Burns; Harriet; and Esther M. Bearse; the two latter died unmarried.)

(Borodino.)

Phebe (Smith), wife of Aaron Bearse, died October 11, 1819, in the 35th year of her age.

(Borodino.)

In memory of Rebecca (Earl) wife of Aaron Bearse, died February 7, 1830, age 38 years, 9 months, 22 days.

(Thorn Hill.)

BECKER.

Peter Becker, son of David and Gertrude (Van Buren) Becker, born June 11, 1800, died July 29, 1889. Age 89 years, 1 month, 18 days.

“He rests well.”

(He was born at Easton, Washington Co., N. Y., and is supposed to have been a descendant of John Becker, who

in 1656 was Clerk at Fort Casimir on the Delaware, in 1660 kept school in New Amsterdam (N. Y. City), and in 1663 and afterwards was a Notary Public and Schoolmaster, in Greenbush and Albany, N. Y. He was one of a family of seven children, three boys and four girls, who resided in Washington and Saratoga Counties in this State. After his marriage to his first wife, Mary Eadie, he first settled in Scriba, Oswego Co., N. Y., in the year 1836, and from there came to Scott, N. Y., and resided for about four years on the Vincent Farm. March 9, 1840, he purchased a farm of ninety-nine acres of Henry Ide, on Lot 12, Sempronius, and resided in this town afterwards until the time of his decease. His wife, Mary, died April 2, 1866, and he married (2) Asenath Patterson, widow of Calvin Patterson, and former widow of William Case, her maiden name was Asenath Warner. His children were by his first wife.)

(Borodino.)

David Becker, born July 7, 1820.

William Becker, born April 18, 1823.

Elizabeth Becker, born Sept. 6, 1825.

Henry Becker, born July 27, 1827.

James Becker, born October 8, 1830.

Alexander Becker, born June 2, 1833.

John Becker, born July 12, 1836.

Thomas Becker, born February 12, 1838.

Children of Peter and Mary (Eadie) Becker.)

(David Becker married Eunice Legg, daughter of William and Amanda (Fulton) Legg, and had two children: Mrs. Ellis A. Tucker of Little York, N. Y., and Mrs. Emma Gere of Beatrice, Nebraska. Mrs. David Becker was born in February, 1833, and is now deceased, buried by the side of her husband in Borodino Cemetery. (No stone); William Becker, married Joanna Robinson, daughter of Archibald and Amy Robinson; Elizabeth Becker died unmarried; Henry Becker died unmarried; James Becker married Mary Boothroy, resides in Syracuse, N. Y.; Alexander Becker married Mary Newell, daughter of Stephen and Mary (Cuykendall) Newell, his wife is dead and he resides in Syracuse, N. Y.; John Becker married Elizabeth Shuttleworth, born in England and now deceased; and Thomas Becker married Elizabeth Babcock.)

(Borodino.)

Mary (Eadie) Becker, wife of Peter Becker, died April 2, 1866, age 67 years, 9 months, 27 days.

(Borodino.)

Asenth (Patterson) (Case) (Warner) Becker, wife of Peter Becker, died January 23, 1886, age 74 years, 6 months. (No stone.)

(Borodino.)

Elizabeth (Shuttleworth) Becker, wife of John Becker, born 1842, died 1894.

(John Becker was a son of Peter and Mary (Eadie) Becker.

(Borodino.)

Henry Becker (son of Peter and Mary (Eadie) Becker). Born July 27, 1827, died September 8, 1895.

(Borodino.)

Alexander Becker, (son of Peter and Mary (Eadie) Becker). Born July 2, 1833.

(Borodino.)

Mary Newell, wife of Alexander Becker, born November 27, 1833, died December 13, 1895.

(Alexander Becker, son of Peter and Mary (Eadie) Becker, m. Mary Newell, daughter of Stephen and Mary (Cuykendall) Newell. Alexander resides in Syracuse, N. Y.)

(Borodino.)

Joanna (Robinson) wife of William Becker. Died May 30, 1878, age 55 years, 5 months, 7 days.

“Mother we miss Thee.”

(William Becker (son of Peter and Mary Eadie) Becker m. Joanna Robinson, daughter of Archibald and Amy Robinson.)

(Borodino.)

David Becker, (son of Peter and Mary (Eadie) Becker). Died November 19, 1862, age 43 years, 4 months.

(He married Eunice Legg, daughter of William and Amanda (Fulton) Legg. He was a merchant at Borodino, and prominent both in business and town affairs. He was Supervisor of the town in 1860.)

(Borodino.)

Eunice Legg, wife of David Becker. Died at Geddes, N. Y., July 31, 1879, age 46 years, 5 months.)

(She was born February, 1833. No stone.)

(Borodino.)

Fannie, daughter of John and Elizabeth (Shuttleworth) Becker. Died September 28, 1864, age 2 years, 6 months.

(Borodino.)

BEELER.

(Private in Capt. Kean's Co. 4th U. S. Regt. of Riflemen in the War of 1812, is buried in an unmarked grave in the southeast corner of the Spafford Cemetery. He was a pensioner of the United States for loss of a leg, resulting from a wound received in battle in the year 1814. He came to Spafford from Springfield, New York. He died after 1821, but at what date is not known. At the time of his decease, he was living at Roundy's Tavern at Spafford Corners.)
No stone. (Spafford.)

BENNETT.

Lucinda, wife of Isaac Bennett. Died October 20, 1830, age 39 years, 4 months, 21 days.

(Thorn Hill.)

Lucy Hutchens, wife of Lyman C. Bennett. Died April 5, 1882, age 52 years.

"In life beloved, in death lamented."

(Lyman C. Bennett (b. in Virgil, N. Y., November 20, 1831), son of Stephen and Waity (Hill) Bennett, married Lucy Hutchens, daughter of Col. Phineas and Betsey (Bocker) Hutchens. She was born in Spafford, N. Y., April 6, 1830; one child.)

(Spafford.)

Phineas Hutchens, only child of Lyman C. and Lucy (Hutchens) Bennett. Died March 29, 1866, age 9 months, 11 days.

"Our Little Phinney."

"O! the little feet, in the glorious street,

Can never go astray. Too frail, too pure for Earth."

(Spafford.)

William J. Bennett, (son of Stephen and Waity (Hill) Bennett. Died October 9, 1860, age 21 years.

(He was a cripple, and at the time of his decease was living with his brother, Lyman C. Bennett.)

(Spafford.)

The family of Christian Bennett resided and buried its dead just over the Spafford line, in the town of Tully, in the locality commonly called "Bennett Hollow," yet on account of its close business and social relations with the people of this town the following is offered:

Christian Bennett the elder, (called by himself Chris-John Bonats), was born at Frankfort on the Rhine, and was a soldier under Napoleon the First in the French Revolution. After his discharge from the French Army he first settled in Germantown, Pennsylvania, and from there emigrated to the town of Tully among the first settlers. He died in Bennett Hollow, and was buried there by the side of his wife, Hannah Fralick. He had three children registered in the family Bible, as Peter Bonats, Gershom Bonats, and Christian Bonats.

Christian Bonats, Jr., born in Germantown, Pa., August 14, 1781, married January 8, 1812, Elizabeth Adare. He came to Tully at an early date, and in 1816 purchased his large farm of 155 acres in Bennett Hollow, where he remained until the time of his decease, September 25, 1866. He was trustee of School District No. 8 (a joint district for the towns of Spafford, Tully and Preble) from 1852 to 1857 inclusive. He and his wife, Elizabeth, were buried in the Cemetery near the School House, in Bennett Hollow. His children, all born in Bennett Hollow, were: Jane, born February 7, 1813, died January 1898, in Iowa, married William A. Higley; Joseph Adare, born March 18, 1815, died March 23, 1836, in Bennett Hollow; Lydia Maria, born February 22, 1817, married Isaac Hollenbeck in 1839, and resides in Tully, N. Y., (7 children); Henry Staley, born December 20, 1819, died in Pennsylvania, (2 children); Sarah Ett, born April 5, 1823, died March, 1872, married (1) Anthony Straile and (2) George Warne, (2 children); Mary Elizabeth, born August 17, 1829, married Richard A. VanDenburg, resides in Scott, N. Y. (4 children); James Edward, born March 23, 1827, died in Preble, N. Y., married Hannah Van Denburg, (2 children); and John Chris-

tian, born November 13, 1833, married May 20, 1856, H. Amelia Doran of Syracuse, N. Y.

Col. John Christian Bennett born November 13, 1833, and living in 1888 in London, England, married May 20, 1856, at Syracuse, N. Y., H. Amelia Doran, now living in Syracuse, N. Y., and by her had: John Christian, Jr., born in 1858, residing in Boston, Mass., unmarried; Joseph Adare, born in 1862, married and lives in Texas, Sergeant in 23d United States Infantry; Andrew Doran, born in 1865, merchant in Syracuse and married; and Carl Lee, born in 1867, married Jessica Marie Kline in New York City, where he now resides. John C. Bennett obtained the rank of Colonel from the State of New York, as commanding officer of the 51st Regiment of New York Militia, located at Syracuse, N. Y.

BERRY.

Jonathan Berry. Born March 17, 1771, died August 13, 1849.

Jonathan Berry came from Cambridge, Washington Co., N. Y., and settled on Lot 12, Sempronius, in March, 1803. He remained there until March 3, 1810, when he purchased the States Hundred Acres on Lot 89, Marcellus, of Daniel Tinkham. Soon after he took up his residence near where Jeremiah Olmstead now resides on this purchase, and remained there until the time of his decease. Mr. Berry was a leading business man, and without question dealt more extensively in real estate in his adopted town than any of his fellow townspeople. Among other transactions he purchased nearly all of lots 10 and 12, Sempronius, and sold out in parcels to suit his purchasers, who cleared and settled upon the lands. His real estate transactions, however, were not confined to the vicinity of his residence, but extended to all parts of the town, without reference to his individual uses and purposes. The public records indicate that he had a natural born taste for speculation in real estate, which to a certain extent met with success, for at his decease he left a very valuable property of this kind, to be distributed among the members of his family. By his wife Thankful he had the following children: Joseph R., married Sarah Kneeland, daughter of Asa and Hannah (Green) Kneeland,

resided in Winslow, Stevens Co., Illinois; Mary, married Isaac Knapp, son of Peter and Dinah (Guion) Knapp; Elizabeth, married John C. Hillebert of Borodino, N. Y.; Nelson, married (1) Lucretia Lyman, (2) Amy Ann Eddy, and (3) Abigail Stringham, after his decease his last wife married (2) George Maxson of Scott, N. Y., he left him surviving two sons, William G. and Fred M. Berry; Thankful, married James Bemus, resided in Chautauqua Co., N. Y.; Sophia M., married John J. Rowan, son of John and Nancy Rowan, she died in Otisco, N. Y.; Adeline, married Edwin Eddy, then of Borodino, N. Y.; Ann W., married ——— Winchester, she died before her father and left four sons; Jonathan Berry, Joseph R., Andrew J., and George W. Winchester; Simeon, married ——— ———, he died before his father and left four children: Jonathan, Timothy M., Mary Ann, married Job Springer, and Edward G. Berry; and Ruth Frances Berry, who died before her father, unmarried.)

(Borodino.)

Thankful, wife of Jonathan Berry. Born May 15, 1777, died August 26, 1847.

“There is rest for the wearied spirits above.”

(Borodino.)

Ruth Frances, daughter of Jonathan and Thankful Berry. Died July 27, 1841, age 21 years.

(Borodino.)

Nelson Berry, son of Jonathan and Thankful Berry. Died March 30, 1884, aged 84 years. (No stone).

(He married (1) Lucretia Lyman, (2) Amy Ann Eddy, and (3) Abigail Stringham, who after his decease married (2) George Maxson of Scott, N. Y.)

(Borodino.)

Lucretia (Lyman), wife of Nelson Berry. Died January 22, 1856, age 36 years.

(Borodino.)

Amy Ann (Eddy), wife of Nelson Berry. Died June 22, 1857, age 42 years.

(Borodino.)

Zara Berry. Born February 22, 1801, died March 14, 1875.

(He was a nephew of Jonathan Berry, and probably came from Washington Co., N. Y., the home of the Berry

family. He married (1) Harriet Rathbone, daughter of James and Margaret (Ashley) Rathbone, and (2) Sophia Hillebert, daughter of John C. and Elizabeth (Berry) Hillebert. By his first wife he had Harriet, married Shuler Conover of Skaneateles, N. Y.; and by his second wife: Mary, married John Perry Lewis, son of John R. and Roxana (Moon) Lewis, now dead and buried in Borodino Cemetery; Charles and Helen, who died young; George, married and living at Grand Lodge, Mich.; and Frank, married and living at Minneapolis, Minnesota.)

(Borodino.)

In memory of Harriet (Rathbone), wife of Capt. Zara Berry. Died October 12, 1828, age 21 years, 10 months, 16 days.

(Thorn Hill.)

Sophia (Hillebert), wife of Zara Berry. Born December 26, 1813, died April 29, 1886.

(Borodino.)

Charlie, son of Zara and Sophia (Hillebert) Berry. Died November 16, 1865, in his 9th year.

(Borodino.)

Helen, daughter of Zara and Sophia (Hillebert) Berry. Died September 14, 1838, in her 4th year.

(Borodino.)

BIERCE.

Several members of the Bierce family formerly resided in Cold Brook and the town of Scott; Augustin Bierce married the widow Niles, and by her had the following children: Chauncey, married Harriet Brown, daughter of Judge Brown of Scott, N. Y., he resided both in Spafford and in the town of Scott, N. Y.; Datus W., married Emily Cole of Cazenovia, N. Y., he resided in Cole Brook, but died in Cortland, N. Y.; Niles H., married (1) Laura Smith of Rochester, N. Y., and (2) Mary Smith of Batavia, N. Y., he resided first in Scott and then in Batavia, where he died; and Emeline, married Albert Rowe of Scottsville, N. Y., she last resided in Albany.

Mrs. Bierce, by her first husband Niles, had four children (half brothers and sisters of the foregoing) who also resided in Spafford and Scott: John E., married (1) Sarah

Peters, and (2) _____ of Smithport, N. Y.; George, married Mahala Bowdish and resided in Scott, N. Y.; Lucinda, married Martin E. Knapp as his first wife, resided in Cold Brook, and later in Scott, where he died, buried in Cold Brook; and Harriet, married Ambrose S. Higgins and resided in Scott, N. Y.

BILLINGS.

William Billings. Died July 3, 1846, in the 76th year of his age.

(He married Rebecca Fisher, daughter of Amos and Margaret Fisher, and by her had: Delos W., married Rhoda Stanton, daughter of Benjamin and Amy (Perkins) Stanton; Clarinda, married Mr. Ausmond; and Waterman Billings of Seneca Falls, N. Y.)

(Borodino.)

Rebecca (Fisher), wife of William Billings. Died June 15, 1864, aged 75 years.

“Gone but not forgotten.”

“She was the sunshine of our hearts,
An angel to us given,
Just when we came to love her most
God called her back to Heaven.”

(Borodino.)

BITTLES.

Samuel Bittles.

(The headstone in this case is so badly weather worn that no part of the inscription can be read except the name. Mr. Bittles came to this town from Homer, N. Y., with his brother Thomas Bittles, October 26, 1818, and settled on lot 88, Marcellus, where he remained until the time of his decease in 1827. In his will, dated June 12, 1827, and probated December 18, 1827, he mentions his wife Mary Bittles, and his children: Margaret Bittles, and Eliza Shearman, wife of Charles Shearman.)

(Old Borodino Cemetery.)

BLUNDEN.

Eliza (Alvord), wife of Thomas Blunden. Died January 15, 1888, age 74 years.

"Our dear mother at rest."

(She was a sister of Anna Alvord, the last wife of Silas Randall, and of Thomas R. Alvord of Kellogg Settlement, in the town of Scott, N. Y.)

(Cold Brook.)

BODLEY.

Mary A., wife of Henry Bodley. Died June 26, 1886, age 84 years.

(The Bodleys came from Cayuga County, N. Y.)

(Thorn Hill.)

Olive E. Bodley. Born March 15, 1839, died August 23, 1877.

"I would not live always."

(Thorn Hill.)

BOUGHTON.

The Boughton family was represented in the town of Spafford in the persons of Rev. Alanson Boughton, Nathan Culver and Mrs. William I. Skellie, the mothers of each of the two latter being a Boughton.

Alanson Boughton was of the seventh generation, in line of descent from John Bouton, born about 1615 and came to America in the "Assurance," July 1635, and landed in Boston, Mass., in December of the same year. After residing in Boston and Watertown, Mass., he finally settled in Connecticut, first in Hartford and afterwards in Norwalk. (John, Joseph, Jackin, Ebenezer, Timothy, John, Alanson.)

Alanson Boughton, born in Scipio, N. Y., May 23, 1807, died in Moravia, N. Y., March 21, 1878. He was a Baptist minister, but first followed teaching in Jamesville, Onondaga County, N. Y. He first ministered over the Baptist Church in Volney, Oswego Co., N. Y., then in Nonesuch and Sempronius, Cayuga Co., N. Y. Also in Milan and Locke, in the same State, and then in Spafford, N. Y. In 1857 he was School Commissioner in Cayuga County. He married (1) April 15, 1829, at Onondaga, N. Y., Charlotte Keeler,

daughter of Jeremiah Keeler; she died in Jamesville, September 12, 1835, and then he married (2) at that place, March 29, 1836, Hannah Squire, formerly of New Baltimore, N. Y. His children were: Nelson, born in Nunda, N. Y., October 1, 1830, murdered September 6, 1859, married Mary Fisher, daughter of Philip and Harriet (Legg) Fisher, at Spafford October 2, 1854; and perhaps others.

Nelson Boughton (son of Alanson and Charlotte (Keeler) Boughton), by his wife Mary Fisher, had two children, one of whom, Angeline, was born in Skaneateles, N. Y., November 7, 1855, married December 11, 1875, James Allen, Jr., and settled in Julian, Clark Co., Da. (3 children: Harly Hall, William Nelson, and Daniel Hall Boughton Allen, the latter is a graduate of West Point Academy, a son-in-law of General Thomas Wilson, and is now 1st Lieutenant or Captain in the regular army.) Nelson Boughton died in Nunda, Freeborn Co., Minn.

BOWEN.

Elijah Bowen. Died May 20, 1807, age 50 years.

(Thorn Hill.)

Patty Bowen, widow of Elijah. Died July 15, 1851, age 90 years.

(Elijah and Patty Bowen were related to Delina Bowen, wife of Dr. David Kingsbury of Clintonville, N. Y.)

(Thorn Hill.)

Joseph W. Bowen. Died January 3, 1875, age 68 years.

"An honest man is the noblest work of God."

(In his will, dated March 11, 1874, and probated in 1875, he mentions his wife Hannah Bowen, and his son Alonzo Bowen.)

(Spafford Hollow.)

BOUTELL.

Hannah, wife of Alpheus Boutell. Died November 8, 1849, age 75 years, 9 months, 3 days.

(Alpheus Boutell lived and Died in Spafford Hollow. By his wife Hannah he had: Samuel, married Catherine Williamson, daughter of James and Hannah Williamson; Lorenzo, married (1) Margaret Rainey, daughter of Robert Rainey, (2) Cornelia (Stanley) Rood, widow; David B., married Anna Hobert, and lived and died in Tully, N. Y.;

Harriet, married Warren Kinney, lived and died in Amber, N. Y.; and Parmelia, married Charles Kingsley, and lived and died in Otisco, N. Y.

Samuel Boutell and his wife, Catherine Williamson are both dead. Their children were: Samuel G., married Carrie Fish, both dead and left one child; Carrie E. Boutell; Alexander J., married Jennie M. Gay, daughter of Barnett A. and Amanda F. (Smith) Gay, wife dead and he resides in Tully, N. Y.; and Martin J. married Helen Grout, daughter of John and Elizabeth (Brown) Grout, he is an astrologer and resides in Syracuse, N. Y.)

(Spafford Hollow.)

Margaret (Rainey), wife of Lorenzo Boutell. Died April 19, 1850, age 38 years, 7 days.

(Lorenzo Boutell, son of Alpheus and Hannah Boutell, married (1) Margaret Rainey, daughter of Robert Rainey, and (2) Cornelia Stanley, widow of a Mr. Rood of Moravia, N. Y., deceased; he died and was buried in Amber, N. Y. He first settled on the west side of Spafford Hollow, on the first farm south of the Buck Tail Road, and for twelve years was Justice of the Peace in that town, commencing his term in 1838. From there he moved to the Village of Amber, where he remained to the time of his decease. He had seven children, (three by the first and four by the second wife), among whom were: Spencer, Catherine, Parmelia and Charles; the latter by the second wife, now residing in Amber, N. Y.)

(Spafford Hollow.)

In memory of Sarepta A. P., daughter of David B. and Anna (Hobart) Boutell. Died April 28, 1830, age 4 years, 1 month, 8 days.

(Spafford Hollow.)

Parmelia M., daughter of David B. and Anna (Hobart) Boutell. Died October 24, 1883, age 10 years.

(David B. Boutell, son of Alpheus and Anna Boutell, married Anna Hobart, and resided over the Spafford line in the Town of Tully. In his will, dated July 28, 1876, probated October 30, 1876, he mentions his wife Anna (Hobart) Boutell, and his children: Emily Boutell; Mary Barker, Harriet Waggoner, Herbert Boutell, Edward Boutell and Martha Boutell.)

(Spafford Hollow.)

BREED.

Rufus Breed. Born April 24, 1785, died 1865.

(Rufus Breed married his cousin Mehitable Breed, daughter of Allen and Lucy (Taylor) Breed, November 28, 1805, and came to this town from Hope, Hamilton County, N. Y., July 12, 1839, and settled on Lot 11, Tully, on premises formerly owned by Samuel Parker, and now known as the Breed Homestead, on the Skaneateles and Homer Road. His children, all born before coming to this town, were: Asa, born September 11, 1806, married October 30, 1828, _____; Elizabeth, born November 11, 1808, married May 20, 1828, _____; Rufus, born June 3, 1811, married April 2, 1834, _____; Nathaniel, born July 2, 1813, married Tryphena Proper of Trumansburg, N. Y.; George Washington, born April 12, 1818, married (1) March 20, 1840, Polly Ann Owen, daughter of Timothy and Lydia Owen, (2) Parmelia Babcock, daughter of John, Jr. and Ellis (Wallace) Babcock, and widow of Jacob Pollock, he died in Sempronius, Cayuga Co., N. Y.; Allen, born August 25, 1820, married Minerva Rounds, daughter of Russell and Lydia (Harrington) Rounds; and Reuben, born July 24, 1825, married April 2, 1834 _____, and moved to California where he died.)

(Borodino.)

Mehitable (Breed), wife of Rufus Breed. Born in Nelson, N. Y., December 8, 1783; died February, 1865.

(She was a daughter of Allen and Lucy (Taylor) Breed. Her father, Allen Breed, was born in Marblehead, Mass., July 14, 1759, and died at her home in Spafford, April 2, 1842. Allen Breed was a soldier in the War of the Revolution, having enlisted in the beginning of the war in 1775, at the age of 16 years, and served during nearly the entire period of that conflict to its close, and for meritorious service was advanced from Private to Lieutenant. At the time of his decease he was a pensioner of the United States. His wife, Lucy Taylor, died March 23, 1825, and was buried in a private cemetery at Mayfield, Montgomery Co., N. Y. Allen Breed died of old age, and may have been buried in a private plot, on the farm occupied by his son-in-law, Rufus Breed. (Allen Breed's wife says he was buried in Spafford Cemetery but has no stone.) Mehitable Breed, through her

father, was descended from Allen Breed, born in England and settled in Lynn, Mass., in 1630, as follows: Mehitable, Allen, Josiah, John, Allen, Allen Allen.)

(Borodino.)

Nathaniel Breed (son of Rufus and Mehitable Breed).
Died May 18, 1876, age 63 years.

“Dead but not forgotten.”

(He married Tryphena Proper of Trumansburg, N. Y. In his will, dated April 17, 1876, and probated April 15, 1888, he mentions his wife, Lorantia E. Breed, and his children, Della and Frank Breed. In the petition made by the widow she described herself as Lorantia E. Anthony, formerly Breed.)

Allen Breed, (son of Rufus and Mehitable Breed). Born August 25, 1820, died 1891.

(He married Minerva Rounds, daughter of Russell and Lydia (Harrington) Rounds. In his will, dated December 19, 1891, and probated February 4, 1892, he mentions his wife Minerva Breed, and his children: Helen Breed; Anna Trip, wife of George Trip; and Lettie Burns, wife of Charles Burns. His wife still resides on the old Breed homestead, on Lot 11, Tully.

(Borodino.)

George Washington Breed, (son of Rufus and Mehitable Breed). Born April 12, 1818, died 1898.

(No stone.)

(He married (1) Polly Ann Owen, daughter of Timothy and Lydia Owen, and (2) Parmelia Babcock, daughter of John Jr. and Ellis (Wallace) Babcock. He moved to Sempronius, Cayuga County, N. Y., where he died. He had at least three children by his first wife: Martha, married Horace G. Cady, of Auburn, N. Y.; Mary, married Alonzo Cady, now deceased, and Jewett, married Miss Williams.

(Borodino.)

Polly Ann (Owen), wife of George W. Breed. Died June 7, 1869, in her 54th year.

“Dearest Mother how we miss thee,
And thy loss we deeply mourn,
But again we hope to meet thee
Where we never shall part again.”

(She was a daughter of Timothy and Lydia Owen.)

(Borodino.)

Reuben T. Breed, (son of Allen and Lucy (Taylor) Breed. Died June 20, 1888, age 82 years.

(He married (1) Purlina M. Patchen, widow of Moses Prindle, (2) Juliette Legg, widow of LeGrand Rathbone. By his first wife he had one child: Helen Breed, who married Edwin Johnson, son of Jonathan and Esther (Woodworth) Johnson, she is now deceased and left one child: Grove Johnson, residing in Spafford, N. Y.)

(Borodino.)

Juliette. Died June 6, 1899, age 78.

Purlina M. Breed. Died October 27, 1861, age 61 years, 4 months, 10 days.

(Borodino.)

BRIGGS.

Daniel Briggs. Died August 17, 1849, age 80 years.

(Daniel Briggs resided over the Spafford line in the town of Skaneateles. In his will dated May 15, 1848 and probated in 1849, he mentioned his wife Rhoda Briggs, and his children: William S. Briggs, Russel Briggs, and Harriet De Reimer, wife of Cornelius D. De Reimer; his son Hiram Briggs was then deceased since 1817. Hon. Sidney Smith says: "Russel Briggs, one of the sons of Daniel and Rhoda Briggs, settled in Michigan; his son, Clinton Briggs, grandson of Daniel and Rhoda, settled in Omaha, Nebraska, and was the first Mayor of that City."

"William S. Briggs, the other son of Daniel and Rhoda Briggs, succeeded his father as owner of the farm upon which he settled when he came to Skaneateles, and occupied it until his death in 1898, at the age of 89 years."

(Thorn Hill.)

Rhoda, wife of Daniel Briggs, died August 17, 1857, age 78 years.

(Thorn Hill.)

Hiram, son of Daniel and Rhoda Briggs. Died October 25, 1817, age 16 years, 6 months and 23 days.

(Thorn Hill.)

Nettie H., daughter of Charles and Ida (Taylor) Briggs, died February 15, 1884, age 1 year, 9 months.

"Our loved one has gone."

(Charles Briggs, son of George W. and Charlotte M.

(Rich) Briggs, married Ida Taylor, daughter of Rev. Albert Taylor, she is now deceased and buried in Borodino Cemetery. No stone. George W. Briggs, married Charlotte M. Rich, daughter of Dorr and Anna (Becker) Rich, and by her had: Charles, married Ida Taylor; Phylitta A., died young; and Gertrude, married Albert Thompson.)

(Borodino.)

BROWN.

Jacob Brown, (son of John and Catherine (Ritiker) Brown). Born May 17, 1809, died November 2, 1891.

John Brown, born in Massachusetts, married there Catherine Ritiker, born in Germany, and after his marriage settled in Rome, N. Y., where his son Jacob was born; from there he moved to New Hope, Cayuga Co., N. Y., where he died. He was a cooper by trade, as also was his son, Jacob, who followed him to his new home in Cayuga County

Jacob Brown, married Debora C. Morris, daughter of Samuel and Jane (Springer) Morris, born April 7, 1815. By his wife Debora C. (who in 1898 resided in Fair Haven, in the town of Scott, N. Y.), he had the following children: Phebe Ann, m. William H. Craig, residing in Cold Brook, N. Y.; Jefferson Jacob, born August 5, 1836, m. (1) Angeline Hibbard, died in Seneca Falls, N. Y., (2) Juliette Daniels, born November 4, 1842, died November 5, 1884, and (3) Jennie Harrison, resides at Fair Haven, in the town of Scott, N. Y.; Ellen, born January 7, 1838, died September 22, 1859, m. Clark Spencer; William H., born February 29, 1839, m. Esther A. Craig, resides in Spafford, N. Y., (member of Co. "H," 16 N. Y. Heav. Art. Vols. War of 1861); Charles, m. Melissa Webster, residing in Borodino, N. Y.; Charlotte, born April 10, 1846, m. (1) Byron Van Benschoten, (2) Charles Hurd, residing in Fair Haven in the town of Scott, N. Y.; Jane (Tian), born April 10, 1846, m. James Hibbard, she died and was buried in Spafford; Diadama Lucy Ann, born May 31, 1848, died April 4, 1864, unmarried; Harriet M., m. William Henry Lyon, son of George W. and Cornelia (Barker) Lyon, husband dead and she resides at Fair Haven, town of Scott, N. Y.; Schuyler, m. Angeline Hibbard (dead); James, m. Catherine Almy, residing in Borodino, N. Y.; and Vincent, m. Emily Bennett, residing in Fair Haven, town of Scott, N. Y.)

(Spafford.)

Debora C. Morris, wife of Jacob Brown. Born April 7, 1815.

(Spafford.)

Diadama Lucy Ann, daughter of Jacob and Debora C. (Morris) Brown. Born May 31, 1848, died April 4, 1864. (She died unmarried.)

(Spafford.)

Juliette Daniels, wife of Jefferson J. Brown. Died November 5, 1884, age 42 years, 1 day.

(Jefferson J. Brown was a son of Jacob and Deborah C. (Morris) Brown.)

(Spafford.)

William H. Brown, (son of Jacob and Deborah C. (Morris) Brown.) Born February 29, 1839. (He married Esther A. Craig).

(Spafford.)

Esther A. (Craig), wife of William H. Brown. Born April 29, 1840.

(Spafford.)

Arthur E., son of George H. and Jennie (Craig) Brown. Died January 13, 1892, age 11 months.

(George H. Brown, son of William H. and Esther (Craig) Brown, married Jennie Craig, daughter of Wesley and Amy (Randall) Craig.)

(Spafford.)

Melissa (Webster), wife of Charles Brown. Died September 26, 1879, age 33 years.

(Charles Brown, son of Jacob and Deborah C. (Morris) Brown, married Melissa Webster. She was from a New Hampshire family.)

(Thorn Hill.)

Margaret, wife of Aaron S. Brown. Died April 24, 1874, age 37 years, 6 months.

“Gone but not forgotten.”

(Borodino.)

Jedidiah Brown. Died July 28, 1838, age 65 years, 6 months, 6 days.

(Jedidiah Brown was killed by the kick of a horse. In the petition for Letters of Administration by his widow, Emma Brown, dated August 7, 1838, she mentions his children as follows: Clarissa, Jedidiah, Jane, Huldah, and Loa Brown, of Spafford, N. Y.; Hannah Pool, wife of Alfred

Pool of Erie Co., N. Y.; Alvah Brown, and Stephen Brown of Ann Arbor, Mich.; Lovina H. Hosford, wife of Isaac D. Hosford, and Lucy Brown, of Grass Lake, Jackson Co., Mich.; Phebe Lawrence, wife of Zimie Lawrence, of Addison Co., Vt.; and Betsey Brown of Addison Co., Vt.; all of full age except: Jedidiah, Jane, Hulda and Loa, who were minors.)

(Thorn Hill.)

BROWNELL.

Edward J. Brownell, (son of Simon and Mary Ann (Churchell) Brownell).

Born September 19, 1821, died October 4, 1851.

“Farewell my wife and children dear,
Farewell my father and mother near,
My brothers and sisters all farewell,
I am going home with Christ to dwell.”

(Simeon Brownell married Mary Ann Churchell, daughter of James and Hannah (Dobbs) Churchell, and had the following children: Lorenzo, married South and died in St. Joseph, Mich.; Charles, married in Navarino, N. Y., and died in Dowagiac, Mich.; Mary Ann, married a Mr. Wilder and died in Dowagiac, Mich.; Sidney, married (1) ———— Scrivens, (2) ———— Springer and resides in Cleveland, Ohio; Edward J., married Rachel Martin, daughter of Randall B. and Rachel (Clark) Martin; Jane, married Stephen Tinkham, son of Rely and Chloe (Grinnell) Tinkham; George, married (1) a Miss Wellington and (2) in Michigan where he now resides; and Simeon, Jr., who married West. Simeon and his wife, Mary Ann Churchell, also moved West about 1852 or 1853.

Edward J. Brownell, by his wife Rachel (Martin) Brownell, had two children: Irving and Edna Jane, the latter married Perry McKay, son of Frederick and Louisa (Hutchens) McKay, as his first wife, she is now deceased. After the death of Edward J. Brownell his widow, Rachel, married (2) Richard E. Loss of Skaneateles, N. Y.)

(Spafford.)

“Mother”—Rachel (Martin) Brownell, (wife of Edward J. Brownell). Born October 3, 1823, died August 5, 1876.

“ Servant of God well done,
 The glorious warfare past,
 The battle is fought, the race is won,
 And thou art crowned at last.”

(She was a daughter of Randall B. and Rachel (Clark) Martin. After the decease of Mr. Brownell she married Richard E. Loss of Skaneateles, N. Y.)

(Spafford.)

BRYAN.

Lena L. Bryan, (daughter of William and Fannie (Masters) Bryan). Died May 24, 1895, age 3 years, 8 days.

(William Bryan married Fannie Masters, daughter of Stephen Masters.)

(Spafford Hollow.)

Clara M. Bryan, (daughter of William and Fannie (Masters) Bryan). Died April 22, 1895, age 9 months.

(Spafford Hollow.)

BRYANT.

Louisa (Gregory), wife of Thomas Bryant. Died June 28, 1873. age 37 years.

(Thomas Bryant married (1) ——— Gregory, (2) Louisa Gregory, a sister of his first wife, all three born in England, and (3) Ruth Eggleston, daughter of Deacon Benjamin and Elizabeth (Wiltsie) Eggleston of Thorn Hill. He had one child: Anna, married Eudelbert Churchill, of Cold Brook, by his first wife, and two: Sarah, married Seymour Churchill of Cold Brook; and Joseph Henry, who died young, by his second wife. No issue by the third wife.)

(Borodino.)

Joseph Henry, son of Thomas and Louisa (Gregory) Bryant. Died August 26, 1872, age 5 years, 9 months, 23 days.

(Borodino.)

BUFFINGTON.

Charles H. Buffington. Died January 6, 1852, age 35 years, 3 months.

“ This stone was erected by Borodino Lodge, I. O. of O. F., as a token of esteem for their deceased brother.”

(He was a teacher and died single. At the time of his decease he was reading medicine with Dr. Isaac Morrell, of Borodino. He was related to Mrs. Jacob W. Darling, probably a nephew.)

(Borodino.)

BULFINCH.

Joseph Bulfinch. Died October 3, 1873, age 88 years.

“ Where the weary are at rest.”

(Joseph Bulfinch was born in Boston, Mass., was liberally educated, and in early life was a teacher in a Vermont Seminary. In 1818 he came to Spafford and settled on a farm on Lots 32, Sempronius, and 21, Tully, where he remained until the time of his decease, pursuing the occupation of farming and civil engineering. He was frequently called upon by his townspeople to fill town offices, and seldom during his active life did his name fail to appear in the list of town officials. Among the offices held by him were Supervisor, Assessor, Poor Master, School Commissioner, Inspector of Schools and Town Trustee, but most frequently his name appears in the town books as Inspector of Schools; in fact for many years teachers in the schools of Spafford obtained their permit to follow this vocation from Joseph Bulfinch. He married Lydia Harrington before coming to this town, and by her had the following children: Sarah Ann, married Andrew J. Eliot, son of Elias and Charity (Warner) Eliot, he is dead and she is residing (1899) in Onondaga Valley, N. Y.; Lydia, died at 11 years; Joseph Harrington, married Lucy Ann Eliot, daughter of Elias and Charity (Warner) Eliot; and Mary, married Dr. Daniel George Frisbie, residing in Grinnell, Iowa.

Joseph Harrington Bulfinch, born in Boston, Mass., December 6, 1816, and died at Yankton, S. D., November 12, 1897, inherited the literary tastes and studious habits of his father without his self confidence, and while he had few, if any, peers in the community in which he from time to time resided, as a man and a scholar, his inherent modesty frequently prevented him from holding positions of public trust and confidence, which his natural and acquired ability fitted

him to occupy. In early life he followed the avocations of his father, farming and civil engineering, and at one time he held a commission as Major in the Militia of the State of New York. By his wife, Lucy Ann Eliot, who survived him and in 1899 resided in Yankton, S. D., he had: George W., married Jennie Swartz, he is now deceased, leaving his widow and one daughter, Alice May Bulfinch, residing in Williamsport, Pa.; James, a twin of George, died young; and Alice M., who married Nelson J. Cramer, (lawyer), resides in Yankton, S. Da.)

(Spafford.)

Lydia Harrington, wife of Joseph Bulfinch. Died December 31, 1861, age 73 years.

(Spafford.)

Lydia, daughter of Joseph and Lydia (Harrington) Bulfinch. Died Monday, February 13, 1837, age 11 years, 6 months, 22 days.

“Pause, my young friends a while before you further go,
I once was gay as well as you, but now here lie low;
Nor did I think I so soon must take my leave of you,
But death called loud, I must obey and bid you all adieu;
Remember you must soon like me be mouldering in the clay,
Those earthly fleeting joys must soon pass away;
But there is a heaven of endless joy where saints immortal
reign,
There free from sin, from sorrow, from grief and every
pain.”

(Spafford.)

BURDICK.

Russell M. Burdick, Esq. Died December 29, 1850, age 53 years, 11 months, 24 days.

“Man knoweth not his time.”

(Russell M. Burdick, descended from a Seventh Day Baptist ancestry, came to Spafford from Scott, N. Y., where he had brothers and sisters; he probably came originally from Brookfield, Madison Co., N. Y. He married (1) Esther Whiting, daughter of Thomas and Esther Whiting; and (2) Philura Seeley, daughter of Samuel G. and Ada (Fowler) Seeley, and widow of Mr. Eldridge. He came to this town before 1825, and from time to time held various

town offices, among which were: Supervisor, Assessor, Town Trustee and Justice of the Peace; the latter he held for many years, and by reason of which he was commonly called Esquire Burdick. He had eight children, seven by his first wife and one by his last: Lovinia, married George Youst Fisher, son of Dakin and Sally (Youst) Fisher, she died in Seneca Falls, N. Y.; Melissa, married John S. Cole, son of Easton and Polly (Lewis) Cole, she died in Michigan; Oscar F., married Lovedy Tinkham, daughter of Russel and Mary (Cook) Tinkham, he died in Michigan; R. Verona, accidentally killed when young; Fernando Cortez, died South; Ira Whiting, died single in Michigan; Dorleska L., married Porter P. Cole, son of Easton and Polly (Lewis) Cole, resides in Michigan; and Mary E. (by second wife), married William Cullen Bockes, the latter is dead and she resides in Scott, N. Y.)

(Spafford.)

In memory of Esther (Whiting), wife of Russell M. Burdick. Died July 3, 1841, age 39 years, 4 months.

(Spafford.)

Russell Verona, son of Russell M. and Esther (Whiting) Burdick. Died October 14, 1845, age 13 years, 4 months, 7 days.

(Accidentally killed by a wagon running over him.)

(Spafford.)

In memory of Thompson Burdick, (son of John and Elizabeth (Babcock) Burdick). Died October 5, 1830, age 77 years.

“For the great day of his wrath cometh,
And who shall be able to stand.”

(Thompson Burdick was born in the town of Westerly, R. I., September 1, 1753, and was a soldier in the War of the Revolution, serving as a member of Capt. Samuel Ward's Co., Col. Varnum's 1st Regt. R. I. Line (Continental) from May, 1775, to January 1, 1777, participating in the Siege of Boston, the battles of Long Island, White Plains and Trenton, and receiving a gunshot wound in the battle of White Plains. He was discharged from the Continentals at Crosswick Meeting House, in the State of Pennsylvania, but afterwards served on different tours of duty as part of the Militia of his native State, among which was one made in an endeavor to drive the British from Newport, R. I. On

this latter occasion he came near losing his life, from drowning off Judith Point, R. I., by the capsizing of barges used in carrying soldiers employed in that expedition; sixteen in all were thrown into the water, of whom only eight were saved, among the latter was Thompson Burdick.

Mr. Burdick was fourth in line of descent from Robert Burdick, the first settler in this country, and the common ancestor so far as known of the Burdick family generally in America. Tradition says that Robert Burdick came to this country from a small village in England, near the border line of Wales, but at just what time is not recorded. In November, 1652, he was baptized at Newport, R. I., and four years afterwards was made Freeman at the same place. In 1661 a company was formed, at the latter place, to colonize what was afterwards known as Westerly, R. I. Of these were Robert Burdick and Tobias Saunders. In November of that year, Mr. Burdick and Mr. Saunders made a clearing, and put up a log house at the latter place, but were promptly arrested by order of Governor John Endicott, of Massachusetts, carried prisoners to Boston, tried and fined forty pounds apiece as trespassers, and ordered to give bonds to keep the peace. They were kept in prison several months, during which time they appealed to England for redress, but in the end the colonization company paid their fines, and they returned to Rhode Island. On November 2, 1655, Robert Burdick married at Newport, R. I., Ruth Hubbard, daughter of Samuel and Tacy (Cooper) Hubbard, who was said to be the first white child born in Springfield, Mass., (January 11, 1640), and by her had nine children who arrived at maturity: Robert, Hubbard, Thomas, Naomi, Ruth, Benjamin, Samuel, Tacy and Deborah. Samuel Hubbard and his wife Tacy Cooper, and their three daughters, Ruth, Rachel and Bethia were among the first to embrace the doctrines of the Seventh Day Baptist in this country, and to them, more than to any other persons, belongs the credit of the establishment of that denomination in America. Robert Burdick, after passing through various vicissitudes incident to the settlement of the Narragansett country, in Rhode Island, finally established himself at Westerly, R. I., where he reared his family and continued to reside until the time of his decease.

Hubbard Burdick, son of Robert, resided in the Town

of Hopkinton, R. I., and was one of the grantees of 5,300 acres of land in that town, sold by order of the Rhode Island Court, October 2, 1711. This grant was situate in the western part of that town. He married Hannah Maxson, daughter of John and Mary (Moshier) Maxson, and had four sons: Hubbard, Nathan, John and Ezekiel.

John Burdick, son of Hubbard, was born May 19, 1721, and married Elizabeth Babcock, by whom he had eight children: Maxson, Thompson, Anne, John, Paul, Abigail, Sarah, and Frances.

Thompson Burdick, son of John, married Tabitha Wilcox, daughter of Nathan and Tabitha (Prosser) Wilcox, at Stonington, Conn., and by her had ten children, all of whom were born at the latter place, except one or possibly two of the younger, born at Brookfield, Madison Co., N. Y., to which place he moved his family in or about the year 1796. From Brookfield he moved to the town of Scott, N. Y., in the year 1809, and settled in the northern part of the village of that name, and resided there until about 1819, when he settled on Lot 41, Tully, and there remained until the time of his decease. His children were: Paul, moved to Milwaukee, Wis.; William, moved to Pennsylvania; Thompson, Jr., married Lucy ———, he was killed or died in the war of 1812; Ethel, died unmarried; Lucy, born December 1, 1779, in Stonington, Conn., and died in Brookfield, N. Y., August 20, 1833, married John Collins, December, 1796, at Brookfield, N. Y., she was the mother of Dr| John Collins who resided and died in this town; Nabby, born 1782, and died April 29, 1866, married David Gates in 1796, at Brookfield, N. Y.; Nancy, married George Frink; Pollina, married John Barber of Scott, N. Y., and died November 12, 1852, age 62; Betsey, born November 30, 1793, died in Spafford, December 31, 1872, married Elijah Knapp, son of Peter and Dinah (Guion) Knapp, December 9, 1812, at Scott, N. Y., and resided and died in this town; and Sophia, born 1802, married Hosea Palmer of this town and died in Scott, N. Y., Thompson Burdick, by reason of his military services, was a pensioner of the United States.

(Spafford.)

In memory of Tabitha (Tabothy on stone) (Wilcox), wife of Thompson Burdick. Died December 4, 1827, age 71 years, 8 months, 11 days.

(Tabitha Wilcox was of the sixth generation in line of descent from Edward Wilcox, who came to America from England and settled in Portsmouth, R. I., before 1638, and was in trade there at that date, with Roger Williams and Richard Smith. He died in Kingston, R. I., where he left at least two children: Stephen and Daniel.

Stephen Wilcox, son of Edward, born 1623 at Portsmouth and died at Westerly, R. I., in 1690, married 1658, Hannah Hazard, daughter of Thomas and Martha Hazard, and by her had seven children: Edward, Thomas, Daniel, William, Stephen, Hannah, and Jeremiah. Stephen Wilcox was a deputy in the R. I. Court in 1670 to 1672, and the owner of 500 acres of land in the Pequoit Country.

William Wilcox, son of Stephen, died at Stonington, December 27, 1757, married (1) January 25, 1698, Dorothy Palmer, daughter of Moses and Dorothy (Gilbert) Palmer, and granddaughter of Walter and Rebecca (Short) Palmer of the first settlers of Stonington, Conn., and (2) Mrs. Abigail Palmer. His children born at Stonington, Conn., were by his first wife, and were as follows: Dorothy, Anna, William, Jemima, Mary, Amey, Sarah and Nathan. William Wilcox was commonly called and known as Dea. Wm. Wilcox.

William Wilcox, Jr., son of William, born June 3, 1703, married (1) March 24, 1725-6 at Stonington, Hannah Brown, and by her had one child. She died January 4, 1826-7 and he married (2) June 5, 1727, Elizabeth Brown, daughter of John and Elizabeth (Miner) Brown, and by her had six children. His children were: Hannah, Prudence, Nathan, William, John, Dorothy and Hannah (2), both Hannahs died young.

Nathan Wilcox, son of Wm., Jr., born April 6, 1730, at Stonington, Conn., married January 25, 1753 at the latter place Tabitha Prosser, and by her had four children, born at Stonington: Nathan, William, Tabitha, born March 15, 1757, married Thompson Burdick; and Prudence.

(Spafford.)

Christopher Avery Burdick, (son of Thompson, Jr., and Lucy Burdick). Born July 6, 1807, died February 6, 1882.

(Thompson Burdick, Jr., son of Thompson and Tabitha (Wilcox) Burdick, was killed or died in the War of 1812. By his wife Lucy he had the following children: Leonard,

David, Ezra, Aurilla, Christopher Avery, married Eugenia Jane Nash, daughter of Joel and Lovina (Whiting) Nash, and granddaughter of Thomas and Esther Whiting.

Avery Burdick by his wife Eugenia Jane Nash had four children: Elnora, married Lovinas Tinkham, son of Russel and Mary (Cook) Tinkham, resides in Scott, N. Y.; Medora, married (1) Ira Hill, (2) Albert Hill, resides at Kipton, O., and Charles C., married Emily Norton, daughter of Erastus and Mary (Isdell) Norton. There was another daughter older than these, who died a young girl.

(Spafford.)

Charles C. Burdick, son of Christopher Avery, by his wife Emily Norton has: Lillian, married Waldo Emerson Gilbert, son of William Gilbert, attorney-at-law, resides in Syracuse, N. Y.; and Majestic, married Russell D. Eddy, son of David Eddy. A third child, Dora A., died young.)

(Spafford.)

Eugenia Jane (Nash), wife of Christopher Avery Burdick. Born in 1813, died in 1892.

(Spafford.)

Dora A., daughter of Charles C. and Emily (Norton) Burdick. Died June 27, 1870, age 8 months.

(Spafford.)

Benjamin C. Burdick. Died April 2, 1835, age 44 years, 6 months.

(Borodino.)

BURLTON.

James Burlton. Died January 14, 1883, age 56 years.

"The Lord is my Shepherd, I shall not want."

(Mr. Burlton was born in England; his wife, Charlotte Greene, after his decease married (2) George Clark of Skaneateles.)

(Thorn Hill.)

Charlotte Green, wife of James Burlton. Died March 13, 1896, age 70 years.

(Thorn Hill.)

BURNS.

Mary A. (Travis) (Barnes), wife of Michael Burns. Born 1831, died 1889.

“Pain and sickness has been my lot to bear,
And in the Eternal Home I hope I shall have a crown to
wear.”

(Michael Burns was born in Ireland; he married Mary A. Travis, daughter of John Travis, and widow of Edwin F. Barnes.)

(Borodino.)

Felix Burns. Died July 18, 1872, age 85 years.

(He married Elizabeth Wallace, and by her had: Mary, married Ward Bearse, son of Aaron and Rebecca (Earl) Bearse; Thomas W., married Anna Earl, daughter of William and Polly (Pitts) Earl; Francis, married Harriet M. Streeter, daughter of Calvin and Melantha (Babcock) Streeter; and Phillip, married Emma Taylor, daughter of William Taylor. Felix Burns and his wife, Elizabeth Wallace, came to Spafford from Washington Co., N. Y., about 1835, and settled on Lot 12, Sempronius.)

(Borodino.)

Elizabeth (Wallace), wife of Felix Burns. Died June 15, 1863, age 72 years, 1 month, 12 days.

(Borodino.)

Philip Burns, (son of Felix and Elizabeth (Wallace) Burns). Died July 10, 1882, age 48 years, 2 months.

(Philip Burns married Emma Taylor, daughter of William Taylor, and by her had four children: Francis, Frederick, Mary and Charlotte. He was drowned in Owasco Lake outlet.)

(Borodino.)

Thomas W. Burns, (son of Felix and Elizabeth (Wallace) Burns). Died June 10, 1883, age 54 years.

“An honest man is the noblest work of God.”

(Thomas W. Burns married Ann Earl, daughter of William and Polly (Pitts) Earl, and by her had: Flora E., George and Emma, the latter died before her father and died young.)

(Borodino.)

Our Little Emma, only child of Thomas W. and Anna (Earl) Burns. Died June 18, 1869, age 5 years, 9 months, 14 days.

“ Here thy laughing face we miss,
 Miss thy smile, thy loving kiss,
 Yet our hearts must own it best,
 God has taken thee to rest.”

Harriet M. (Streeter), wife of Francis Burns. Died August 13, 1866, age 30 years, 5 months.

“ Dear child! the grave must be your bed,
 Yes, thou art numbered with the dead.
 That aching head and sunken eye
 Now in the grave must mouldering lie.”

(Francis Burns, son of Felix and Elizabeth (Wallace) Burns, married Harriet M. Streeter, daughter of Calvin and Melantha (Babcock) Streeter.)

(Borodino.)

BURROUGHS.

John P. Burroughs, (son of Alvin Burroughs of Skaneateles). Died December 9, 1884, age 62 years.

Alvin Burroughs of Skaneateles died January 4, 1877. In his will, dated November 14, 1874, and probated February 17, 1877, he mentions his wife Deborah Ann Burroughs, and his children: Phebe Jane, of Skaneateles, she died September 1, 1887, unmarried; Charles, of Groton, Tompkins Co., N. Y.; John P., of Spafford, N. Y., married Eliza Lowery, daughter of William Lowery; Nancy Ann, married Prof. Charles O. Roundy, son of Asahel and Hannah (Weston) Roundy, her husband is now dead and she resides at Moravia, N. Y.; Mary A., married February 27, 1853, Charles W. Foster, son of Albert and Clarissa (Maxson) Foster, of Yankton, South Dakota; and Elizabeth, married George H. Taylor of Camillus, she died before her father and left one daughter, Elizabeth Taylor. Deborah Ann Burroughs, mentioned as the wife of Alvin in his will, was his second wife and not the mother of his children. At the time of her marriage to Mr. Burroughs she was the widow of a Mr. Gamble. She died April 20, 1876, and was survived by Mr. Burroughs, her second husband. Mr. Burroughs' first wife was Sally Purchase, she was the mother of all his children.

John P. Burroughs by his wife, Eliza Lowery, had one son, George A. Burroughs, who married Helen Churchill,

daughter of Chauncey and Catherine M. (Merry) Churchill of Cold Brook.

(Cold Brook.)

Eliza (Lowery), wife of John P. Burroughs. Died May 2, 1875, age 52 years.

“ We have met.”

(Cold Brook.)

CADY.

Renona A. Cady. Died January 2, 1849, age 23 years, 18 days.

“ Is not dead but sleepeth.”

(He was a shoemaker, and a brother of Harmon Cady.)

(Borodino.)

Harmon Cady. Died March 21, 1861, age 45 years.

(He was a shoemaker, and a brother of Renona A. Cady.)

(Borodino.)

CALKINS.

Elizabeth, relict of Abram Calkins. Died July 8, 1855, age 85 years.

(Abram and Elizabeth Calkins were father and mother of Charles A. Calkins, formerly of Thorn Hill. After her husband's death Mrs. Calkins came to this town, and died at the residence of her son Charles.)

(Thorn Hill.)

Wilmot P., son of Charles A. and Diana (Shelden) Calkins. Died January 4, 1865, age 16 years, 11 months, 25 days.

(Charles A. Calkins, born September 2, 1805, son of Abram and Elizabeth Calkins, married Diana Shelden, daughter of William and Abigail (Udell) Shelden, August 21, 1831. His wife was born at Stephentown, N. Y., July 30, 1804, and died at the residence of her son-in-law, Hon. Sidney Smith, in the Village of Skaneateles, N. Y., May 19, 1892, age 88 years; she was buried in Lake View Cemetery, in the latter village. Her daughter, Jennie A., married Hon. Sidney Smith as his second wife, and her son, George S. Calkins. at the time of her decease resided in Chicago, Ill.)

(Thorn Hill.)

CALLENDER.

Richard Callender. Died January 3, 1853, age 67 years, 11 months.

(He was born in Ireland, and died in Marietta, N. Y., leaving him surviving his wife, Naomi, and the following children: Richard, Jr., who married Mary A. Hicks; William; Mary A.; Margaret, wife of Hiram Eastman; Julia A., wife of Francis Bailey; Catherine and Edward Callender.)

(Thorn Hill.)

Richard Callender, Jr., son of Richard Callender. Born March 11, 1822, died May 12, 1891.

(He married Mary A. Hicks and by her had at least two children: Frank Earl, died March 16, 1862; and Francis R., born February 24, 1863, married 1888, Jennie M. Tripp, daughter of Dr. Van Dyke Tripp of Spafford, and by her had two children: Flora M., born December 17, 1888, and Russel V., born September 24, 1890.)

(Borodino.)

Mary A. Hicks, wife of Richard Callender, Jr. Born March 14, 1826.

(She was born in Dutchess Co., N. Y., and in 1898 was residing with her son, Francis R. Callender, in Borodino.)

(Borodino.)

Frank Earl, son of Richard, Jr., and Mary A. (Hicks) Callender. Born April 14, 1857, died March 16, 1862.

(Borodino.)

CARR.

Thurston Carr, (son of William and Mary (Brown) Carr). Died January 23, 1859, age 54 years, 7 days.

“Afflictions sore a long time he bore,
Physicians were in vain,
Till God pleased to give him ease
And free him from all pain.”

(Thurston Carr's pioneer ancestor, Benjamin Carr, came to this country from London, England, in the ship “Fortune,” and landed at Plymouth, Mass., Nov. 6, 1621. A short time afterwards he left Plymouth with a party of friends, and finally settled in Rhode Island. He married, before coming to this country, Martha Hardington, and by her had four children: Robert, Caleb, Richard and An-

drew. He and his wife Martha afterwards returned to England, where they both died, but his sons Robert and Caleb remained, and are the ancestors of two distinct and numerous families of Carr in this country. William Carr, a lineal descendant from Robert Carr, one of these two brothers, was born February 14, 1778, at Stephentown, N. Y., where his father, Thurston Carr, then resided. He married (1) Mary Brown, January 8, 1800, at Stephentown, N. Y., and (2) Widow Harvey. He had ten children, among whom was Thurston Carr of Spafford, N. Y., born of his first wife January 13, 1805, at Canaan, Columbia Co., N. Y. The latter married Lorane Greene, November 16, 1826, and by her had the following children: An infant born May 17, 1828, died young; Emeline, born September 29, 1829, died March 29, 1831; Eliza Maria, born April 23, 1831, died at Scott, October 26, 1894, age 63 years, married Lucius Scott in Spafford, December 30, 1851; Mary Ann, born March 31, 1833, married Lafayette Tinkham son of Russell and Mary (Cook) Tinkham, at Spafford, April 25, 1850, residing 1899 in Spafford, N. Y.; Sarah Lavinda, born March 23, 1835, died January 8, 1873, married Thomsa A. Babcock at Spafford, October, 1857; Julia Barnes, born March 31, 1837, died February 15, 1838; an infant son, born February 20, 1839, and died young; Harriet Emeline, born August 1, 1840, married Ammon J. Ripley, son of John L. and Clarissa E. (Loss) Ripley, resides at Glen Haven, N. Y.; Julia Louisa, born October 17, 1843, married (1) John M. Carr, July 3, 1862, (second cousins) and (2) Henry B. Wood, of Chemung Co., N. Y., as her second husband, residence Spencer, Iowa; Lucy Jane, born January 21, 1845, died August, 1848; George Spencer, born September 27, 1847, married Angeline Filkins, daughter of George D. and Margaret (Fisher) Filkins, residence Heber, Arkansas; and William Thurston, born April 23, 1851, died May, 1857.

The first four of the above children were born in Stephentown, N. Y., and the balance in Spafford, where Mr. and Mrs. Carr settled about the year 1833. The line of descent of Mr. Thurston Carr, of Spafford, as traced in the family genealogy published by Edson I. Carr, is as follows: Thurston, William, Thurston, Caleb, Caleb, Caleb, Robert, Benjamin.)

(Spafford.)

Lorane Green, wife of Thurston Carr. Born August 28, 1808, died at Glen Haven, N. Y., January 19, 1898, age 90 years.

(She was a daughter of Mariam Green, who died at her home in this town, October 20, 1866, at the age of 98 years, 8 months and 13 days, buried in this cemetery. (No stone.)
(Spafford.)

William T., son of Thurston and Lorane (Green) Carr. Born April 23, 1851, age 24 days—

“Sleep on sweet babe and take thy rest,
God called thee home when he thought best.”
(Spafford.)

Lucy J., daughter of Thurston and Lorane (Green) Carr. Died August 12 1846, age 6 months.

CARROLL.

John P. Carroll, son of Burnett M. and Eady Carroll. Died September 4, 1853, age 30 years.

(Thorn Hill.)

CARVER.

Mary, wife of George Carver. Died November 4, 1829, age 33 years.

(George Carver was a teacher.)

(Thorn Hill.)

David Carver came to Spafford from Holland Co., Conn., and settled in Spafford Hollow on Lot 44, Tully, March 22, 1815. In his will, dated August 27, 1863, and probated December 17, 1863, his age is stated at 76 years. He mentions no wife, but the following children: John, David W., married Hannah ———, residence Pompey; Erastus H., and daughter, Anna J. Caple. At the date of the will Erastus H. Carver was a soldier in the Union Army.

CASE.

Mabel, wife of Kelley Case. Died August 27, 1851, age 68 years.

In his will, dated October 10, 1859, and probated September 13, 1866, Kelley Case mentions among others, his wife, Hannah Case. His children were: Reuben, Willis, John, Stennett, Silas, Lucina, married Alfred Munson,

father and mother of Dr. W. W. Munson of Otisco, N. Y.; Sophronia, married Edgar Crofoot of Preble, N. Y.; Mary Ann, died young, and Susan. Mr. Kelley Case was one of the School Inspectors for the Town of Spafford for the years 1813-14-15-16-17-18-22-24-28-29, and Assessor for the year 1815. Kelley Case was a member of Capt. Asahel Roundy's Co. in the War of 1812.

Sergeant Kelly Case, N. Y. Mil., War of 1812.

(Spafford Hollow.)

Mary Ann, daughter of Kelley and Mabel Case. Died October 17, 1830, age 2 years, 11 months, 25 days.

(Spafford Hollow.)

Silas Case, (son of Kelley and Mabel Case). Died May 21, 1848, in his 23rd year.

(Spafford Hollow.)

Willis Case, (son of Kelley and Mabel Case). Died September 15, 1884, age 70 years, 4 months.

(In his will, dated 1885 and probated July 13, 1885, he mentions his wife Chloe M. Case and his son, Ansel K. Case.)

(Spafford Hollow.)

Ansel K., son of Willis and Chloe Case. Died August 24, 1855, age 3 years, 10 months, 20 days.

(Spafford Hollow.)

Infant daughter of Willis and Chloe Case. Died September 2, 1847, age 7 weeks.

(Spafford Hollow.)

Isaac C. Case. Died May 23, 1864, age 78 years. 3 months, 12 days.

(His first wife was Polly ———; and his second, Nancy ———. His children were: William, married Asenath Warner; Aaron G., married Rebecca Monk, daughter of Benjamin Monk; Arvilla M., married Charles Nichols; Eunice, married Isaac Olmstead; Mary Ann, married Stephen Crane; Betsey, married Henry Howe; Lydia, married ——— Picket, and Isaac E. Case.)

(Borodino.)

Polly, wife of Isaac Case. Died August 27, 1859, age 69 years, 1 month, 18 days.

(Borodino.)

William Case, son of Isaac and Polly Case. Died August 26, 1852, age 42 years, 25 days.

(He married Asenath Warner.)

(Borodino.)

Asenath Warner, wife of William Case. Died January 28, 1886, age 74 years, 4 months.

(She first married William Case; second Calvin Patterson as his second wife; and third Peter Becker, as his second wife.)

(Borodino.)

Rebecca (Monk), wife of Aaron G. Case. Died March 18, 1852, age 28 years.

(Aaron G. Case, son of Isaac and Polly Case, married Rebecca Monk, daughter of Benjamin Monk. He died in Memphis, N. Y., March 7, 1888, age 66 years.)

(Thorn Hill.)

Isaac E., son of Isaac and Polly Case. Died December 22, 1837. Age 9 years.

(Thorn Hill.)

A man by the name of Russel Case formerly resided at the foot of the Buctail, in Spafford Hollow, who had four sons: Stephen, Lewis and Leonard (twins), and Reuben, who afterwards moved to Marcellus, N. Y.

CHANDLER.

Joshua Chandler. Died August 19, 1834, age 71 years.

(He came from Connecticut and left no issue. In his will, dated February 19, 1827, and probated November 15, 1834, he mentions his wife Hannah Chandler, and brothers and sisters: John Chandler, Polly Chandler, Thomas Chandler; nephew Nathan Chamberlin; niece Fanny Eaton; Emily Nye (probably a sister), and her son, Benjamin Nye.)

(Thorn Hill.)

Hannah, wife of Joshua Chandler. Died February 2, 1841, age 79.

(Thorn Hill.)

CHAPMAN.

Lydia (Hunt), wife of Amasa Chapman. Born March 9, 1780; died April 13, 1849.

Amasa Chapman is also dead, and buried in this cemetery. He married Lydia Hunt, sister of Deacon John Hunt of Thorn Hill.

Amasa Chapman, born June 29, 1771, died March 21, 1847.

(Thorn Hill.)

CHAPPELL.

Martin Chappell. Died August 24, 1836, age 32 years.

He married (1) _____, and (2) Adeline Force, daughter of Henry Force. He left him surviving two children: Zipporah and John, aged respectively at that time 6 and 3 years.)

(Thorn Hill.)

_____, wife of Martin Chappell. Died February 16, 1834, age 27 years.

(Thorn Hill.)

CHURCHELL.

James Churchell. Died March 8, 1821, age 60 years, 4 months, 23 days.

(He came from Rensselaer County, N. Y., with his wife, Hannah Dobbs, and settled on Lots 1 and 2, Tully, in this town, in the year 1816. By his wife, Hannah Dobbs, he had the following children: James, Jr., he resided in Auburn, N. Y.; Frederick ("Fade"), married a Miss Willard; Peter, married (1) Lucina Crane, daughter of Stephen and Elsie (Grinnell) Crane, and (2) Charity Rainey, widow of James B. Williamson, and sister of Robert Rainey; William, married Celinda Fisher, daughter of Dakin and Sally (Youst) Fisher; Alexander M., married (1) Lydia McKay, daughter of Augustin and Polly (Partridge) McKay, (2) Jane Robertson, daughter of James and Isabel (Eadie) Robertson, and (3) Margaret Fisher, daughter of Dakin and Sally (Youst) Fisher, and widow of George D. Filkins; Gilbert Ward, married (1) Elnora Rainey, daughter of Robert Rainey, and (2) Harriet Littlefield; he is now deceased; John, married Polly Palmer, daughter of Amos and Mary (Barber) Palmer; Ansel, married Izabenda Bearse, daughter of Aaron and Phebe (Smith) Bearse; and Mary Ann, married Simon Brownell.)

(Spafford.)

Hannah (Dobbs), wife of James Churchell. Died June 17, 1843, age 72 years, 5 months, 24 days.

“ We leave you here till Christ shall come the sleep of death to break,

Thou mayest then leave this silent tomb and in his likeness wake.”

(Spafford.)

Alexander M. Churchell, son of James and Hannah (Dobbs) Churchell). Born April 10, 1809, died September 10, 1890.

(He survived his three wives mentioned above. In his will, dated August 11, 1885, and probated October 16, 1890, he mentions no wife, but the following children: Aderesta, wife of H. B. Swetland; Jane, wife of Orlando Grinnell; and grandson: Milton A. Swetland.)

(Spafford.)

Lydia (McKay) Churchell, (wife of Alexander M. Churchell). Born March 30, 1818, died June 14, 1843.

(She was a daughter of Augustin and Polly (Partridge) McKay.)

(Spafford.)

Jane (Robertson) Churchell, (wife of Alexander M. Churchell). Born October 5, 1818, died November 5, 1850.

(She was a daughter of James and Isabel (Eadie) Robertson. Mr. Churchell's third wife, Margaret Fisher, was buried by the side of her first husband, George D. Filkins, in this cemetery.)

(Spafford.)

Elnora (Rainey) wife of Gilbert W. Churchell. Died October 3, 1851, age 35 years, 7 days.

(She was a daughter of Robert Rainey.)

(Spafford.)

Harriet (Littlefield), wife of Gilbert W. Churchell. Born April 24, 1828, died June 16, 1868.

(Spafford.)

Anson Churchell, (son of James and Hannah Dobbs) Churchell.) Born November 30, 1813, died October 25, 1849.

“Disease I met with when far from home,
 No friend or kindred to me come,
 And when to native land returned
 The vital spark had ceased to burn,
 My wife and child with tears and pain,
 Cannot call back from deaht's cold chain.”

(He married Izabenda Bearnse, daughter of Aaron and Phebe (Smith) Bearnse; and by her had one daughter, Eliza, who married Erastus E. Brown. After his decease his wife married (2) Albert E. Fulton. She died May 21, 1875, and was buried by the side of her second husband in Borodino Cemetery.)

(Spafford.)

Peter Churchell, (son of James and Hannah (Dobbs) Churchell). Born May 29, 1798, died July 23, 1876.

“No sighs are heard in this shadowy place,
 No voice of them who weep,
 He has fought the fight and finished the race,
 God giveth him rest in sleep.”

(He married (1) Lucinda Crane, daughter of Stephen and Else (Grinnell) Crane, and (2) Charity Rainey, widow of James B. Williamson, and sister of Robert Rainey. His children were: James, married ——— Carr, daughter of Almon and Arathusa (Morse) Carr, residence Onondaga Valley, N. Y.; he died May 21, 1899, leaving widow, one son and three daughters: George, married Eveline Norton, daughter of Robert and Susan (Hill) Norton; Caroline Gale of Otisco, N. Y.; and Lorilla Patten, wife of George A. Patten of Spafford, N. Y., the latter has two children, Alton W., of Spafford, N. Y.; and Flora B., wife of Emmett L. Gordon, of Preble, N. Y.)

(Spafford.)

Lucinda (Crane), wife of Peter Churchell. Born February 10, 1800, died February 16, 1831.

(Spafford.)

Charity (Rainey), wife of Peter Churchell. Born April 14, 1799, died March 1, 1869.

“When the day at last is done,
 When the race of life is o'er,
 God will give his wearied one
 Rest for evermore.”

(Spafford.)

William Churchell, (son of James and Hannah (Dobbs) Churchell). Died May 15, 1882, age 76 years, 2 months.

(He married Celinda Fisher, daughter of Dakin and Sally (Youst) Fisher. He left no descendant, but an adopted daughter Jennette, who married Sullivan A. Carr, son of Almon and Arathusa (Morse) Carr.)

(Spafford.)

Celinda (Fisher), wife of William Churchell. Died May 15, 1878, age 69 years, 25 days.

(Spafford.)

George Churchell, (son of Peter and Lucinda (Crane) Churchell). Died October 4, 1893, age 64 years, 5 months.

(He married Eveline Norton, daughter of Robert and Susan (Hill) Norton, and left him surviving, his wife Eveline, and the following children: Arthur B., of Syracuse N. Y.; Lena E., of Titusville, Pa.; and the following grandchildren: Mabel E., Russel, Arthur, Harold, and Edward J. Churchell, minor children of his deceased son, Edward J. Churchell, then residing with their mother, Olive Churchell, at Syracuse, N. Y.; Eveline, Mary, Bessie, John, and Flora Morgan, minor children of his deceased daughter, Flora Morgan, residing with their father, William H. Morgan, at Cortland, N. Y.)

(Borodino.)

CHURCHILL.

In memory of John Churchill, who departed this life September 27, 1817. Age 59 years, 6 months, 15 days.

(Mr. Churchill by his wife, Martha, had the following children: John, Alvin, married Sally Seeley, daughter of Samuel G. and Ada (Fowler) Seeley; Chauncey, married Catherine M. Merry; Sally, married John Bacon, son of Amos and Abigail (Cady) Bacon; Irene, married (1) Lucius Vail, and (2) Harvey Anthony, Jotham, and Joab, who died at 18 years.)

(Cold Brook.)

Martha, wife of John Churchill. Died February 13, 1839, age 63 years.

Joab, son of John and Martha Churchill. Died November 24, 1846, age 18 years, 14 days.

Alvin Churchill, (son of John and Martha Churchill). Died March 27, 1878, age 84 years, 4 months, 20 days.

(He lived on the East hill in the Cold Brook neighborhood, just over the county line in the town of Scott, N. Y. He married Sally Seeley, daughter of Samuel G. and Ada (Fowler) Seeley, and by her had the following children: Mary Fidelia, married Edwin Pratt of Homer, N. Y.; Clarissa Marisa, married Peter Curtis, of Scott, N. Y.; Orville C., married Mary J. Rigall, daughter of Milo Rigall, residence Corning, Steuben Co., N. Y.; Lyman S., married (1) Mary Ann Alvord, widow of Ezra Randall, and (2) Harriet A. Alvord; Philena S., died young; and John M., died in the War of 1861.)

(Cold Brook.)

Sally (Seeley), wife of Alvin Churchill. Died June 23, 1885, age 79 years, 6 months, 6 days.

(Cold Brook.)

Philena S., daughter of Alvin and Sally (Seeley) Churchill. Died August 16, 1834, age 3 years, 2 months, 19 days.

“Gone to rest.”

(Cold Brook.)

John M. Churchill, (son of Alvin and Sally (Seeley) Churchill.) Company “D” 157 Regt., N. Y. V. Died at Annapolis, Md., September 4, 1863. Age 22 years, 4 months, 14 days.

“He rests in God.”

(Cold Brook.)

Little Martha V., daughter of Samuel Lyman and Harriet A. (Alvord) Churchill. Died June 3, 1882, age 5 years, 4 months, 26 days.

“Suffer little children to come unto me.”

(Samuel Lyman Churchill, son of Alvin and Sally (Seeley) Churchill, married (1) Mary Ann Alvord, widow of Ezra Randall, and (2) Harriet A. Alvord.)

(Cold Brook.)

Mary Ann (Alvord), wife of Samule Lyman Churchill, and formerly wife of Ezra Randall. Died April 6, 1862, age 34 years.

(She was a half sister of Silas Randall's second wife.)

(Spafford.)

Chauncey Churchill, (son of John and Martha Churchill). Born in 1808, died in 1896.

(He married Catherine M. Merry, and by her had the

following children: Sylvester, married Helen Doud; John, married twice in Illinois, where he resides; Senneth, married Mr. Shaw and died in Illinois without issue; Sylvenus A., married (1) Caroline Eadie, daughter of John W. and Abigail (Doty) Eadie, and (2) Minnie Woodworth, daughter of Cyrenus and Charlotte (Norton) Woodworth, (he had two boys and a girl by first wife and a boy and a girl by his second); Oliver, married ———— Roe, daughter of John Roe, (one daughter); Caleb W., married (1) Achsah Eadie, daughter of John W. and Abigail (Doty) Eadie, and (2) in Illinois, where he resides, (two sons and a daughter by first wife and several children by second); Benjamin, married Carrie Churchell, daughter of James and ———— (Carr) Churchell, residence Onondaga Valley, N. Y. (one daughter); Jason, married in Illinois, where he resides; LaFayette, married Amelia Pratt, resides in Illinois; Olive C., died young in 1838; Olive (2) married William Kellogg; Helen, married George Burroughs, son of John P. and Eliza (Lowery) Burroughs; Anice, married Chester Sharp and moved to Michigan.)

(Cold Brook.)

Catherine M. (Merry), wife of Chauncey Churchill. Born in 1812, died in 1865.

(Cold Brook.)

Olive C. Churchill, daughter of Chauncey and Catherine M. Merry) Churchill. Born in February and died in May, 1838.

(Cold Brook.)

Carlie (Eadie), wife of Sylvenus A. Churchill. Died September 2, 1888, age 44 years.

(She was a daughter of John W. and Abigail (Doty) Eadie.)

(Cold Brook.)

Achsah Eadie, wife of Caleb W. Churchill. Died August 11, 1882, age 32 years.

“Asleep in Jesus.”

(Cold Brook.)

CLARK.

John G. Clark. Died October 7, 1855, in his 50th year. (He married a Town.)

(Cold Brook.)

Ann, wife of Richard Clark. Died April 5, 1860, age 54 years.

(Spafford Hollow.)

Elvira, wife of John Clark. Died April 7, 1864, age 34 years.

(Spafford Hollow.)

Asa G. Clark, (son of Amasa P. Clark.) Enlisted at Albion, N. Y., July 15, 1862, in Co. "C," 4th N. Y. Heavy Artillery, and was killed at the Battle of Reams Station, Va. August 25, 1864, age 27 years.

"No bugle call now disturbs the weary one;

Rest noble spirit in thy grave unknown.

We will find and know you among the good and true,

When the Robe of White is given for the coat of blue."

(Borodino.)

CLEVELAND.

Benajah Cleveland. Died December 18, 1862, age 73 years, 10 months, 20 days.

(He married Mary Clark and by her had: John, married Caroline Doty, daughter of Willard and Achsah (Bacon) Doty, dead; Lydia S., married William S. Smith, son of Ira and Ruth Smith; Mary, married Charles H. Ferry, son of Chester and Saba (Buffington) Ferry; Emily, married Lansing Sheldon, son of Caleb and Lillis (Howard) Sheldon, she is dead and buried in Oakwood Cemetery, and he resides in Syracuse, N. Y.; and Martin H., died March 20, 1838, at 4 years.)

(Borodino.)

Mary Clark, wife of Benajah Cleveland. Died April 19, 1883, age 86 years, 1 month, 2 days.

(Borodino.)

Martin H., son of Benajah and Mary (Clark) Cleveland. Died March 20, 1838, age 4 years, 2 months.

(Spafford Hollow.)

COBB.

In memory of Elizabeth, wife of Caleb Cobb, who died September 26, 1827, age 39 years.

(Thorn Hill.)

COE.

Almena A. Coe, wife of Ira Coe. Died January 27, 1843, age 42 years.

(Ira Coe, from 1823 to 1839, owned lands on lot 10, Sempronius.)

(Borodino.)

Coe, Edward B., son of Ira and Almena A. Coe. Died January, 1837, age 1 year, 2 months.

(Borodino.)

COLE.

Electa A., daughter of Easton and Polly (Lewis) Cole. Died January 2, 1838, age 20 years, 8 months, 22 days.

“ Weep not for me, my parents dear,
Because I leave your arms;
My work is done, I am going home
To feast in Jesus' arms.”

(Easton Cole, son of Ebenezer and Chloe (Easton) Cole, and grandson of Samuel and Anne Cole, born at Foster, R. I., married Polly Lewis, daughter of Joseph and Mary (Stanton) Lewis, at Foster, R. I., December 6, 1807, and by her had children: Nelson, married (1) Sarah Savage, and (2) Amy Vincent, daughter of Michael and Amy Vincent, formerly of Scott, N. Y., and (3) ——— —Babcock, he died in Michigan; Susan, married Asa B. Knoble, died in Michigan; Purlina, died unmarried in Michigan; Electa, died young in Spafford; Joseph Lewis, married (1) Philura Lyon, daughter of David T. and Harriet (Arnold) Lyon, (2) Julia Wilson, widow of Dr. John E. Lyon, and (3) Julia A. McDaniels, daughter of John and Polly (Hankins) McDaniels, resides in Spafford, N. Y.; Lauren, married and died in Michigan; John S., married Esther Medissa Burdick, daughter of Russel M. and Esther (Whiting) Burdick, she died in Michigan and he now resides in Norville, Jackson Co., Michigan; and Porter P., married Dorleska Burdick, daughter of Russel M. and Esther (Whiting) Burdick, resides in Brooklin, Mich.

Easton Cole, his wife and family, excepting Joseph L., all moved to Michigan many years ago, and he and his wife died there.)

(Lewis Yard.)

Philura (Lyon) Cole, (first wife of Joseph L. Cole).
Died May 4, 1872, age 53 years.

“Thou art gone loving mother,
Where the weary are at rest.”

(She was a daughter of David T. and Harriet (Arnold)
Lyon.)

(Spafford.)

Cassius E., son of Joseph L. and Philura (Lyon) Cole.
Died October 17, 1848, age 3 years, 5 months, 2 days.

(Spafford.)

Charles E., son of Joseph L. and Philura (Lyon) Cole.
Died May 7, 1851, age 8 months, 9 days.

(Spafford.)

J. Bardett, son of John T. and Esther Medissa (Burdick)
Cole. Died January 2, 1852 age 11 days.

“Sleep on sweet babe and take thy rest,
God called thee home when he thought best.”

(Spafford.)

Joseph Cole, who in 1835 purchased land at “Spafford
Corners,” on Lot 21, Tully, was a half brother of Easton
Cole, and came from Foster, R. I. His first wife was an
Arnold and his second was Mercy, who came to this town
with the Biddlecoms. He had two children: Silas, who
married a Miss Nostrant of Preble, N. Y.; and Amanda, who
married Russel Cook, son of Joseph and Mary Cook, of Fal-
mouth, England. The whole family moved to Michigan,
and all the older members of it died there.

COLLINS.

John Collins, M. D. (son of John and Lucy (Burdick)
Collins). Born February 10, 1804, died August 15, 1853.

(“Dr. John Collins was born in Brookfield, Madison
Co., New York; graduated from Hamilton Academy, and
from the Medical College at Castleton, Vt., in 1829; came
to Spafford in 1830, and practiced medicine there until his
decease. On his paternal side he was of the seventh gener-
ation, in a continuous line of succession of Johns from
Henry, starchmaker, and Ann, his wife, who came in the
ship “Abigail,” with their three children and five servants,
June 29, 1635, from Stepney Parish, London, England, and
settled in Essex Street, Lynn, Essex Co., Mass.

Henry Collins was possessed of property, was a man of influence and more than ordinary intelligence, and his name is often spoken of in connection with the early transactions of Essex County. He was at one time a member of the General Court; was one of the men in charge of the public lands, and his name on one or two occasions is spoken of as an advocate, employed in the defense of persons tried in Court for public offenses. By his wife, Ann, he had four children: Henry, John, Margery, and Joseph; the latter probably born on shipboard during the passage to America, as his name is not mentioned in the Custom House Clearance bill, or in public records of Essex County.

John Collins (son of Henry and Ann), was a ship owner, and was lost at sea with a son bearing his name. By his wife, Abigail Johnson, he had sixteen children, Mary, John, Samuel, Abigail, John, Joseph, Elizabeth, Benjamin, Mary, Daniel, Nathaniel, Hannah, Sarah, Lois, Alice and William, twelve of whom survived him. The name of the youngest, a young child still in the arms of the mother, was on the death of the father changed by her from William to John and afterwards was so called.

This John Collins, who was a Quaker, married Susanna Daggett and, probably on account of religious persecution, moved to Rhode Island, and with five others took up a tract of 3,000 acres of wild land, in what is now the northeastern part of the town of Hopkinton, Washington Co.

Of Susanna Daggett, who was born in Saco, Me., tradition has handed down this story, which years ago found its way into print. When a small child, she was taken to the wigwam of an Indian Chief by his squaw, who found her lost in the woods. Late at night the Chief, returning home, told the squaw of a plan to exterminate the whites. She cautioned him, saying there was a little pale face sleeping in a bed of skins in the wigwam. The Chief then told her the child must die, to which she remonstrated, saying that she had promised to take her home in the morning. The Chief, passing a firebrand over the face of Susanna and observing no signs of consciousness, spared her life, and she was able afterwards to give her friends timely warning of the plans of the Indians. From John and Susanna are descended a large share of the numerous Collins families who have resided or originated in Washington Co., R. I.

Their descendants have been scattered to all parts of the Northern States, and everywhere have been classed among the reputable men and women, in the communities in which they have resided. They have been represented in all professions and business pursuits, and notwithstanding the Quaker stock, in times of war have contributed generously of their numbers to the armies and navies of the United States. This John Collins, by his wife Susanna, had ten children: Rebecca, Hazekiah, Sarah, Jedediah, Lydia, John, Ebenezer, Benjamin, Samuel, and Abigail of whom:

John Collins, the great grandfather of the subject of this sketch, was a Quaker preacher of unusual talents, and great power and influence in the denomination to which he belonged. According to the custom of this sect his remains and that of his wife, Mehitable Elizabeth Bowen, now repose in unmarked graves, in the "burial yard" near the little Quaker Church one mile west of the Village of Hopkinton, R. I. To John and Mehitable were born nine children, six in Hopkinton, and three of the youngest in the town of Stonington, Conn.: John, Susannah, Amos, Benjamin, Samuel, Sarah, Abigail, Stephen and Ruth.

John Collins, the first born of John and Mehitable, had a large family of children; by his first wife, Mary, he had: Mary, John, Mehitable, Stephen, Samuel and Daniel. The last named:

John Collins, born at Hopkinton, R. I., April 18, 1771, moved to Brookfield, Madison Co., N. Y., before 1796, with a party of first settlers in that town, from Washington Co., R. I., and Stonington, Conn. After arriving in Brookfield he was united in marriage with Lucy Burdick, daughter of Thompson and (Tabitha (Wilcox) Burdick, another first settler from Stonington, Conn., and a Revolutionary soldier in the 1st Regt. of Continentals of the Rhode Island Line. Lucy Burdick, wife of John Collins, was of the fifth generation by descent from Robert Burdick, one of the first settlers in the town of Westerly, R. I., and one of the first Deputies for that town in the General Court of Rhode Island. He came from England between 1633 and 1650, and prior to coming to Westerly, was a freeman in Newport, R. I. By his wife Lucy Burdick, John Collins had eleven children, all born in Brookfield, N. Y., as follows: Lucy, born August 30, 1798, died October 17, 1798; Polly, born October 20,

1799, died August 9, 1875, at Unadilla Forks, N. Y., unmarried; Betsey, born April 12, 1801, died May 2, 1843, married William Palmiter, October 12, 1829; John, born February 10, 1804, died August 15, 1853, married Mary Ann Roundy, daughter of Capt. Asahel and Hannah (Weston) Roundy, widow still living, 1899, with her son, Capt. George K. Collins, in Syracuse, N. Y.; Oliver, born August 8, 1805, died in Ohio, leaving him surviving two sons and a daughter, among whom is Hon. A. P. Collins, President of the Wesleyan College of Salina, Kansas; Alvin, born April 19, 1807, died March 23, 1811; Nancy, born May 27, 1809, died April 16, 1875, married William Lewis March 4, 1830; William, born June 1, 1811, died March 5, 1878, at Unadilla Forks, N. Y., married (1) Esther Spicer, (2) Susand Crandall, and (3) Emeline Knapp, daughter of Elijah and Betsey (Burdick) Knapp, the latter residing 1899, in Spafford, N. Y.; Henry, born July 14, 1815, killed in 1864 by Rebels in Missouri, married Lucinda Wheeler; Lydia Ann, born August 15, 1820, died in Niles, Mich., married (1) John Orton, son of Osmer and Rachel (Fisher) Orton, and (2) Elihu Fisher, son of Dakin and Sally (Youst) Fisher; Samuel, born March 17, 1822, married Mary Yaw. John Collins and his wife, Lucy Burdick, were buried at Unadilla Forks, N. Y.

Dr. John Collins, by his wife Mary Ann Roundy, had the following children: Albert, born April 1, 1834, died April 12, 1834; Lucy, born May 27, 1835, died June 8, 1836; George Knapp, born April 15, 1837, married June 9, 1858, Catherine Sager, daughter of Jacob and Rebecca Smith (Grote) Sager, attorney and counsellor at law, resides at Syracuse, N. Y. (five children): Charles, born December 14, 1841, died July 5, 1843; Henry, born 1844, died 1844; John Asahel, born July 17, 1845, died August, 1900, married February 18, 1862, Eliza Button, at South Hollow, N. Y.; Edwin, born May 19, 1847, died July 22, 1849, and Frank, born April 27, 1850, married Julia Holzer, January 22, 1874, residence, Syracuse, N. Y. (Spafford.)

Albert, 1834-1834.

Henry, 1844-1844.

Lucy, 1835-1836.

Edwin, 1847-1849.

Charles, 1841-1843.

Children of John and Mary Ann (Roundy) Collins.

(Spafford.)

COLTON.

Gideon Colton. Died September 10, 1832, age 70 years, 3 months, 2 days.

(Gideon Colton came to this town from Whitestown, Oneida County, N. Y., and settled on one hundred acres in the northeast corner of lot 10, Sempronius, which he purchased from Nicholas Fish, the soldier who drew that lot, January 17, 1806. He probably came to Whitestown from Vermont, and perhaps earlier from the State of Massachusetts. By his wife, Rhoda Fowler, who was buried in Borodino Cemetery, he had two children: Alanson, born December 18, 1813, died April 27, 1885, married Charity Ide, daughter of Rev. Rogers and Esther Ide; and Harriet, born January 2, 1812, died January 13, 1871, married Henry Ide, son of Rev. Rogers and Esther Ide.

(Nunnery.)

Rhoda Fowler, (wife of Gideon Colton). Died April 9, 1842, age 65 years.

(Borodino.)

Alanson E. Colton, (son of Gideon and Rhoda (Fowler) Colton.) Born December 18, 1813, died April 27, 1885.

(In the application for letters of administration upon his estate, dated February 23, 1886, mention is made of his widow, Charity (Ide) Colton; and his children: Hiram A., married Sarah Van Allen; Henritte, married Mark Harvey; Frank, married a Harris; Harriet, married Wiltsie of Marcellus; Eudora, married Henry I. Haight of Spafford; and David Colton, married Mason, daughter of John L. and Phebe (Newell) Mason, all of full age.)

Charity Ide, his wife, 1814-1901.

(Borodino.)

COOK.

Elnora, daughter of Russel and Amanda (Cole) Cook. Died October 21, 1843, age 2 months, 4 days.

(Russel Cook, son of Joseph and Mary Cook, born in Springfield, N. Y., married Amanda Cole, daughter of Joseph Cole, half brother of Easton Cole. His father and mother, Joseph and Mary Cook, came to this country from Falmouth, Cornwall Co., England, settled in Springfield, N. Y., and had a large family of children, among whom

were: Mary, born in Falmouth, England, married Russel Tinkham, son of Daniel and Ada (Winsor) Tinkham; Peabody; Elliott; Russel, married Amanda Cole, both died in Michigan; Lovedy, married Zenas Tinkham, son of Daniel and Ada (Winsor) Tinkham; Susan, married Mr. Curtis; Charlotte, married John R. Conine; Fanny, married Mr. Benson; Isabel, married Erastus Stark. All of this family, except Mrs. Russel Tinkham, so far as known, moved to Michigan, and most of them died there.)

(Spafford.)

CONKLIN.

Samuel Conklin. Died November 22, 1839, age 73 years.

“ ’Tis finished, ’tis done, the spirit has fled,
The prisoner is gone, the Christian is dead,
The Christian is living through Jesus love,
And gladly receiving a kingdom above.”

(Samuel Conklin settled on Lot 76, Marcellus, before December 22, 1796, on which day he received a deed of 109 acres of land in the northwest corner of that lot, from Gilbert Palmer the first settler within the present limits of this town. His first wife was Elizabeth, and after her decease in 1821, he married the widow Converse of Onondaga, but had no issue by either marriage.)

(Thorn Hill.)

Elizabeth, wife of Samuel Conklin. Departed this life April 1, 1821, age 58 years.

(Thorn Hill.)

COON.

David Coon. Died August 16, 1857, age 80 years, 1 month, 22 days.

(David Coon, born in Saratoga County, N. Y., married (1) Phebe Van Camp, born in Cayuga County, N. Y., and died in Skaneateles, N. Y., and (2) Elizabeth Nye, born in Saratoga Co., N. Y., and died in Spafford. His children were: Polly, died in Skaneateles; Parmelia, died in Skaneateles; Ruth, married Edwin S. Edwards, both dead, and buried in this cemetery, (no stone); Betsey, died in Cayuga County; Sylvia, died in Skaneateles; James Van Rensselaer,

died in Michigan; Phebe, died in Pennsylvania; Catherine, died in Lysander, N. Y.; and Samuel, died in Skaneateles, N. Y. David Coon and his son, Van Rensselaer, were both harness makers by trade.)

(Spafford.)

James Coon. Died November 16, 1817, age 38 years.

(His wife's name was Olive.)

(Thorn Hill.)

Olive, daughter of James and Olive Coon. Died October 31, 1838, age 28 years.

(Thorn Hill.)

Atlanta, daughter of James and Olive Coon. Died February 2, 1842, age 26 years.

(Thorn Hill.)

COPP.

Timothy Copp. Died March 24, 1836, age 81 years.

(In his will, dated May 1, 1835, and probated August 10, 1837, mention is made of his wife, Patience Copp, and of his children: Jesse of Skaneateles, N. Y.; Isabella Hansen, wife of John B. Hansen of Lysander, N. Y.; Sally Enos, wife of James Enos of Allegany Co., N. Y.; Daniel; Rebecca Wood, wife of Orry Wood; Anna Coville, wife of Jonathan Coville; Lovina Coville, wife of Elisha Coville; John E.; Timothy D.; Sally Ann Benedict, wife of Odin Benedict; and Alcina Baldwin, wife of Philander Baldwin, each of Chautauqua County, N. Y.; and Thomas Copp of Spafford, N. Y., all of full age.)

(Thorn Hill.)

Derinda, daughter of John and Mary Copp, died January 18, 1824, in 17th year.

(Thorn Hill.)

CORNELL.

Pardon, son of William and Hannah (Green) Cornell. Died November 11, 1844, age 5 years, 29 days.

(William W. Cornell, son of Pardon and Candace (Otis) Cornell, married Hannah Green, daughter of John Green. Pardon Cornell was a teacher, and supposed to be a son of William D. Cornell, who died January 3, 1866, at the age of 80 years, and was buried in Borodino Cemetery. He and his brother William moved to Michigan. By his wife, Can-

dace Otis, he had the following children: Cynthia Ann; Jane; William W., married Hannah Green, daughter of John Green; Blakely and Pardon.

(Spafford.)

William D. Cornell. Died January 3, 1866, age 80 years.

(His wife was Jane ————. He is supposed to be the father of Pardon and William Cornell, who moved to Michigan.)

(Borodino.)

John Cornell, of a different family, resided on the "Side Hill." He married Miranda Cady, and by her had the following children: James Cornell, he died at Cedar Springs, Kent Co., Mich., February 22, 1894, age 56 years; Mary Ann, married Simon B. Wallace, son of Daniel and Caroline (Marshall) Wallace, resides at Borodino, N. Y.; and Adelia, married William Quick, son of William Quick from London, England, resides at Navarino, N. Y.

COWAN.

John William, son of Thomas M. and Keziah D. Cowan. Died June 11, 1843, age 6 years, 11 months, 13 days.

(Borodino.)

David H. Cowan. Born in 1838, died in 1887.

(He married Biancy E. Crane, daughter of George W. and Mary Ann Crane. Their children were: George Thomas, married Nora Woodworth, daughter of Arlo and Emma (Bacon) Woodworth; Flora B., married Charles M. Davis, son of John Davis; Nora M., now residing in Spafford, N. Y., unmarried; and Lena K. Cowan, died young. The Cowan family came to this town from Cambridge, Washington Co., N. Y.)

(Borodino.)

Biancy E. (Crane), wife of David H. Cowan. Living in 1899.

(Borodino.)

Lena K., daughter of David H. and Biancy E. (Crane) Cowan. Died October 4, 1881, age 1 year, 8 months, 12 days.

"This sweetest bud of earth so fair,
Has gone to Heaven to blossom there."

(Borodino.)

COWLES.

Harriet S. (Smith), wife of Ebenezer Corning Cowles. Died December 25, 1871, age 43 years, 1 month, 11 days.

(Ebenezer Corning Cowles, son of Ebenezer and Lydia (King) Cowles, married Harriet S. Smith, daughter of Jared Smith. He was one of the famous "Cowles' Triplets," who formerly resided at the head of Otisco Lake, in Otisco Hollow, N. Y., Ebenezer Corning, Cornelia, and Cordelia Cowles. After the decease of his wife, Harriet S. Smith, he moved to Lawrence, Kansas, where he married a second time.

(Thorn Hill.)

COX.

David, born September 30, 1821, died December 4, 1831.

Harriet, born May 9, 1827, died August 8, 1833.

Children of Silas and Abigail R. (Spaulding) Cox.

(Silas Cox came to Spafford on or before 1819, and settled on lots 12 and 14, Sempronius, where he remained until 1825; he then bought the farm at Spafford Corners owned by John Babcock, on Lot 21, Tully, afterwards owned by Dr. John Collins, and resided there until about 1835 or 6. He then moved into the town of Otisco, N. Y. From Otisco he moved to Battle Creek, Mich., and died there July 29, 1855. He married February 4, 1815, Abigail Rowland Spaulding, daughter of David and Ruth (Clare) Spaulding, and sister of Ann Spaulding (teacher), who married George Spaulding of Borodino, N. Y.; she died August 12, 1864. Besides the foregoing infant children, Mr. Cox had by his wife, Abigail R. Spaulding, the following additional children: Ruth, married Dr. Simeon French, she is dead and Dr. French was living 1898, at Battle Creek, Mich., at the age of 82 years; Susan, married Rev. Mr. Gardner, resides at Battle Creek, Mich.; Edward, moved to Michigan; Adeline, residing at Battle Creek, Mich. The descent of Mrs. Cox through the Spaulding Line is as follows: Edward, Benjamin, Edward, Benjamin, Asa, David, Abigail.)

(Spafford.)

CRAIG.

William H. Craig (son of John and Polly Craig). Born August 18, 1818, died November 2, 1890.

“Gone but not forgotten.”

(William H. Craig was born in Wells, Hamilton Co., N. Y. He first settled in Truxton, where he married Hannah Hollenbeck, and by her had four children. She died in 1852, and he then married Phebe Ann Brown, daughter of Jacob and Deborah (Morris) Brown, and by her had four more children, making eight in all. In 1854 he moved from Truxton to Glenville, and from there to Cold Brook, in the town of Spafford in 1867. He remained at the latter place until the time of his decease. Among his children, who have resided in Spafford, are: Esther A., married William H. Brown, son of Jacob and Deborah (Morris) Brown, resides in Spafford, head of Buck Tail Road; Abram, married Mary J. Randall, daughter of Robert and Mary Ann (Fay) Randall, (he has four children): William, married Jennie Weeks and has two children, Olive E. and Ralph; Ella J.; Robert, and Mary E.); Wesley, married (1) Amy Randall, daughter of Silas and Anna (Alvord) Randall, and (2)

(Cold Brook.)

Horace, infant son of William H. and Phebe (Brown) Craig. Died February 1, 1856. (Cold Brook.)

CRANE.

Stephen Crane. Born 1775. Died May 17, 1851.

“Gone but not forgotten.”

(He married Elsie Grinnell and by her had: George W., married Mary Ann ———; Samuel, married (1) Almira L. Bishop; (2) Parthena Hutchens, widow of Lewis B. Marshall and daughter of Col. Phineas and Betsey (Bocker) Hutchens, and (3) Catherine Shaw, daughter of James Shaw of Spafford Hollow; and Harriet, who died single.) (Spafford.)

Else (Grinnell), wife of Stephen Crane. Died March 12, 1844, age 67 years.

“I have fought a good fight.
I have finished my course,
I have kept the faith.”

2 Timothy 4:7.

(Spafford.)

Harriet Crane, daughter of Stephen and Else (Grinnell) Crane. Died June 10, 1865, age 44 years, 11 months, 11 days.

(She died single.)

(Spafford.)

George W. Crane, (son of Stephen and Else (Grinnell) Crane). Died February 26, 1879, age 67 years, 7 months, 16 days. (No stone.)

(In his will, dated May 18, 1878, and probated in 1879, mention is made of his wife, Mary Ann Crane, and his children: Moses, married Margaret ———; Rebecca Holmes, wife of John Holmes; Biancy Cowan, wife of David H. Cowan; Lucinda Streeter, wife of George Streeter, and Lovilla Purchase, wife of Charles H. Purchase.)

(Borodino.)

Mary A., wife of George W. Crane. Died December 22, 1885, age 71 years, 1 month, 9 days.

(Borodino.)

Samuel Crane, (son of Stephen and Else (Grinnell) Crane). Died June 10, 1887, age 72 years.

(Borodino.)

CROSS.

In memory of Abigail, wife of Joseph Cross, who died February 3, 1829, age 73 years.

(Thorn Hill.)

Truman Cross. Died November 17, 1842, age 34 years 1 month.

“Go home, dear wife, dry up your tears,
I must lie here 'till Christ appears.
I trust we soon shall meet again
To celebrate redeeming love.”

(He married Emma Legg, daughter of Capt. Otis and Polly (Sabin) Legg, and by her had one son Otis, who married Hortense Ide, daughter of Henry and Harriet (Colton) Ide, late of Borodino, N. Y. After the decease of Mr. Cross his widow, Emma, married Jonathan Woodworth, son of James and Hannah (Fish) Woodworth. She and her second husband are now deceased.)

(Thorn Hill.)

Otis Cross, (son of Truman and Emma (Legg) Cross). Born in 1840, died in 1892.

(He married Hortense Ide, daughter of Henry and Harriet (Colton) Ide, and by her had one son, Frank Cross, married Ida Hicks, October 2, 1889, and resides in Syracuse, N. Y.)

(Borodino.)

Hortense Ide, wife of Otis Cross. Born in 1836.

(Still living, Borodino, N. Y.)

(Borodino.)

CULVER.

Helen E., daughter of Nathan and Amanda (Skellie) Culver. Died March 3, 1853.

(Nathan Culver, son of Moses and Amy (Boughton) Culver, was born in Cambridge, Washington Co., N. Y., he married Amanda Skellie, daughter of William I. and Elizabeth (Boughton) Skellie, and came to Spafford about 1844, and resided there and in the Village of Scott for a number of years, and finally settled in Syracuse, where he died; (buried in Oakwood Cemetery, in that city). Besides himself, his father and mother had other children, as follows: Andrew, twice married and lived and died in Cambridge, N. Y.; Maria, married James Donahue, moved to Brooklyn, N. Y., and finally lived and died in Vermont; Azor, married Caroline Pratt, and resided in Lyons, N. Y.; Rhoda, married David Doagg (Scotch) and moved to Washington Territory; Mary Ann, married Mr. Hornbeck and resided in Vermont; and three others, who died young.

Nathan Culver, by his wife, Amanda Skellie, had the following children: Elizabeth, died young in Cambridge, N. Y.; Helen E., died young in Spafford; Eva A., living unmarried in Syracuse, N. Y.; Oscar W. Culver, living unmarried in Syracuse (letter carrier.)

(Spafford.)

CURTIS.

Peter Curtis, son of Eli Curtis. Died September 9, 1869, age 43 years.

“He is gone but not forgotten.”

(He married Clara Marisa Churchill, daughter of Alvin and Sally (Seeley) Churchill.)

(Cold Brook.)

Leonidas M., son of Peter and Marisa (Churchill) Curtis. Died February 3, 1860, age 2 years, 6 months, 19 days.

“So do our treasures ever die.”

(Cold Brook.)

DARBEY.

Squire Darbey, son of Truman Darbey. Died February 20, 1851, age 28 years, 10 days.

(Mr. Truman Darbey lived on the west side of Spafford Hollow, a short distance south of the head of Otisco Lake. Besides his son, Squire, he had a daughter Rebecca, who married James R. Williamson, son of James B. and Charity (Rainey) Williamson.)

(Spafford Hollow.)

DARLING.

Joseph Darling. Born November 11, 1806, died May 6, 1895.

(He married Polly Spaulding.)

(Borodino.)

Polly Spaulding, wife of Joseph Darling. Born August 16, 1822, died September 28, 1876.

(Borodino.)

Hiram Linus Darling, (son of Jacob W. and Mary H. (Buffington) Darling.) Died November 1, 1874, age 48 years.

“Good night dear friends, nay do not weep,
I am weary now and want to sleep;
But I shall wake with the morning light of day
Eternal; good night, good night.”

(Jacob Darling, commonly called Elder Darling, was a Free Will Baptist minister. He came to Spafford early and was first known as a teacher. He attended the Free Will Baptist Church, presided over by Elder John Gould, which then had its place of worship near the school house, on the hill east of Spafford Corners. After the Mormon exodus, which materially affected the membership of this church, Elder Darling came forward as a leader, and ministered over the remaining membership for many years thereafter. About 1827, he settled on a farm on the west side of the

Homer and Skaneateles road, on Lot 12, Sempronius, and remained there until about 1855 or 6. He then moved to Virgil, Cortland Co., and soon after to Caroline, Tompkins Co., both in this State. By his wife, Mary H. Buffington, he had the following children: Hiram Linus, married Annie Eliza Holmes, daughter of John and Lydia (Barnes) Holmes; James H., of Waverly, Van Buren Co., Mich.; Francis A., of Eleroy, Stevenson Co., Ill.; Eugene M., of Luverne, Rock Co., Minn.; Harriet D. Cox, of Leseur, Minn.; Helen M. Miller, of Lanar, Carroll Co., Ill.; Ella L. and Carrie A. Darling, of Freeport, Stevenson Co., Illinois. Elder Darling was deceased at the time of the death of his son Linus, and his widow was then residing at Eleroy, Stevenson Co., Ill., and his children as above stated. His son, Linus, was by profession a dentist, but was also a respectable practitioner of law among his friends and acquaintances. He was never admitted to practice in the higher Courts of the State, but in Justice Court he was generally recognized as a competent practitioner. He left no issue of his marriage with Miss Holmes, who survived him.)

(Borodino.)

Annie Eliza (Holmes), wife of H. Linus Darling. Died June 30, 1892, age 65 years, 5 months.

“ My trust is in Jesus.”

(Borodino.)

DAVIS.

Elias Davis. Born in 1763, died June 17, 1851, age 88 years. (No stone.)

(Elias Davis was one of the first settlers in this town, to which he came in 1806, in a boat from Skaneateles, where he first settled in 1803. The deed of his farm of 200 acres, (in the southwest corner of lot 14, Sempronius), was dated April 27, 1812, but in this he is described as a resident of Spafford, showing that he was already residing on the land, which he probably held under a contract of much earlier date. He is claimed to have been buried in this burial yard, by the side of his wife Freelove, although no stone marks his last resting place. By his wife Freelove he had the following children: Nancy, married William Harris; Col. Lewis C., married (1) Margaret Fisher, daughter of Amos and Margaret Fisher, and (2) Mary R. Pressey, daughter

of Moses Pressey; Capt. John, married Sybel ———; and Julia, married a Mr. Canfield.)

(Davis Yard.)

Freelove, wife of Elias Davis. Died August 20, 1840, age 72 years, 1 month, 21 days.

(Davis Yard.)

In memory of Capt. John Davis, (son of Elias and Freelove Davis.)

Who died after an illness of one hour. Died in a fit at Onondaga, on the 27th day of May, 1829, aged 33 years, 2 months, 13 days.

(In the application of his wife Sybel, June 23, 1829, for letters of administration upon his estate, no mention is made of any children of the deceased.)

(Davis Yard.)

Col. Lewis C. Davis, (son of Elias and Freelove Davis). Died May 7, 1853, age 63 years, 1 month, 12 days.

(He married (1) Margaret Fisher, daughter of Amos and Margaret Fisher, and (2) Mary R. Pressey, daughter of Moses Pressey. In the petition for letters of administration upon his estate, by his widow Mary R. (Pressey) Davis, dated May 13, 1853, mention is made of the following children: Joline, of Spafford, N. Y.; Laurette, wife of Benjamin Wallace of Niles, Cayuga County, N. Y.; John C., married Maria Arvilla Conine, daughter of Richard Conine, of Preble, N. Y.; Lewis B., of Spafford; Rhoda, wife of Richard Van Vranken of Geddes, N. Y.; Moses J., of Spafford; Van Buren, married a Miss Hathaway and moved to Dakota; Porter; Mary E.; Prery; Emeline A.; Orlanda, and Julia E. Davis, all of Spafford, N. Y. Judson Davis, an older son of Lewis C. Davis, married Elizabeth Spaulding, daughter of David and Lucy Carry Spaulding; he moved to Missouri and died there. As he is not named in this petition he may have been dead at that time.)

(Davis Yard.)

In memory of Margaret (Fisher), wife of Lewis C. Davis. Died October 26, 1833, age 41 years, 26 days.

(Davis Yard.)

Perlina Davis, (daughter of Judson and Elizabeth (Spaulding) Davis). Died August 28, 1849, age 6 years, 1 month.

(Judson Davis was a son of Col. Lewis C. and Margaret (Fisher) Davis.)

(Davis Yard.)

Jefferson Davis, (son of Judson and Elizabeth (Spaulding) Davis). Died May 21, 1849, age 4 years 2 months, 25 days.

(Davis Yard.)

Byron Davis, (son of Judson and Elizabeth (Spaulding) Davis). Died August 26, 1849, age 2 years, 4 months, 23 days.

(Davis Yard.)

Porter Davis, (son of Col. Lewis C. and Mary (Pressey) Davis), Co. "F," 122 Regt., N. Y. V., Civil War. Died April 17, 1889, age 49 years.

(Borodino.)

Zebulon R. Davis. Died May 23, 1871, age 71 years.
"Though lost to sight to memory dear."

(Borodino.)

(Mr. Davis married first Hannah Ames, and second, Polly Gale, daughter of John and Martha Gale of Spafford, N. Y. He and his first wife were from Washington Co., N. Y., and first settled in Marietta, N. Y. From there they moved to Skaneateles, and thence to Thorn Hill, where his first wife died and was buried. At the time of his decease he and his second wife were residing with his daughter, Mrs. John Maxson, in Cold Brook. He had no issue by his second wife.)

(Cold Brook.)

Hannah (Ames), wife of Zebulon Davis. Died August 25, 1835, age 31 years.

(Thorn Hill.)

Polly (Gale), wife of Zebulon Davis. Died December 24, 1869, age 76 years.

"Mother, we miss thee."

(Cold Brook.)

Farrand, son of Zebulon and Hannah (Ames) Davis. Died September 4, 1844, age 20 years, 2 months, 23 days.

(Thorn Hill.)

Esther, wife of Farrand Davis. Died September 4, 1865, age 89 years.

(Thorn Hill.)

DEDRICK.

William Dedrick. Died October 25, 1855, age 61 years.

(He came from Rhode Island, married Thurzy McCausey and by her had three children: William John, married (1) Sophronia E. Babcock, and (2) Sarah Lindsey; Elizabeth, married Isaac Eglin; and Robert A., died unmarried. William Dedrick had a brother, Constant H. Dedrick, who died in Skaneateles after his decease. In his will, Constant mentions no wife or children, but the following: Thurzy, "widow of my brother William Dedrick, deceased, his son John, and his daughter Elizabeth Eglin, wife of Isaac Eglin." He also mentions the following: Sarah Bennett of Skaneateles; Helen A. Young, wife of Orsen Young; Sophia Stiles, wife of Ezra Stiles; and Minerva J. Vandenburgh, wife of John H. Vandenburgh.)

(Borodino.)

Note.—Hon. Sidney Smith, writing of Constant H. Dedrick, says: "Constant H. Dedrick had a wife, but no children. His wife probably died before his decease. Sarah Bennett was the daughter of Cephas and Stella (Kneeland) Bennett, Baptist Missionary to Burmah and grand daughter of the distinguished Baptist minister, Rev. Alfred Bennett of Homer, N. Y. She was sent to America and lived for a considerable time with the Dedricks. Sophia Stiles was a sister of this Dedricks' wife, and Helen A. Young and Minerva J. Vanderburgh were the daughters of Mrs. Stiles."

Thurzy (McCausey), wife of William Dedrick. Died March 20, 1878, age 82 years, 7 months.

(Borodino.)

Robert A., son of William and Thurzy (McCausey) Dedrick. Died October 28, 1850, age 30 years.

(Borodino.)

William John Dedrick, (son of William and Thurzy (McCausey) Dedrick). Born February 26, 1822, died

(Borodino.)

Sophronia (Babcock), (wife of William John Dedrick). Died September 9, 1878, age 49 years, 8 months.

(Borodino.)

Sarah (Lindsey), wife of (Wm.) John Dedrick. Born November 13, 1843, died December 24, 1893.

(Borodino.)

DERBYSHIRE.

Mrs. Pruella, wife of Zacharia Derbyshire. Died August 12, 1823, age 31 years, 7 months.

"Death is a debt to nature due,
Which I have paid and so must you."

(Zacharia Derbyshire married for a second wife Hannah Williamson, daughter of Cornelius and Eliza (Ostrander) Williamson.

(Spafford.)

Mrs. Hannah (Williamson), wife of Zachariah Derbyshire. Died September 17, 1834, age 30 years, 3 months, 17 days.

"I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course,
I have kept the faith, thenceforth there is a crown of righteousness

Laid up for me which the Lord, the Righteous Judge,
Shall give to me at that last day."

(Spafford.)

James, son of Zachariah and Hannah (Williamson) Derbyshire. Died August 4, 1827, age 4 years, 4 days.

(Spafford.)

DERBIN.

William Derbin, Private Co. "B," 3rd N. Y. Artillery. War 1861. Died June 25, 1888, age 61 years.

(Mr. Derbin was an Englishman.)

(Thorn Hill.)

DIBBLE.

Fannie, daughter of Leroy A. and W. D. Dibble. Died April 2, 1865, age 1 year, 3 months.

(Borodino.)

DOOLITTLE.

Warren Doolittle. Died August 6, 1884, age 72 years.)

(Warren Doolittle was born in Wallingford, Conn., September 13, 1812, and married Ruth L. Stacy of North Haven, Conn., October 5, 1834, and by her had four children: Gilbert M., born September 1, 1835, and died July 2, 1843; Millicent C., born December 20, 1839, died January

25, 1840; Ellen M., born June 1, 1844; and Gilbert M., born April 14, 1846. The two latter are now residing at Borodino, N. Y. Mr. Doolittle, about 1840, moved from Wallingford, where he was born, to Hartwick, Otsego Co., N. Y., where he remained until the Fall of 1841, and then came to Borodino, where he remained until the time of his decease. Early in life he joined the Baptist Church in his native place, and after coming to this town united with the First Baptist Church of Marcellus, at Thorn Hill, and there held the office of Deacon twenty-nine years. He was first a Democrat, but on the organization of the Republican party identified himself with that organization. He was an active and useful citizen, and generally respected. Mrs. Doolittle died in 1900.)

(Thorn Hill.)

Gilbert M., son of Warren and Ruth L. (Stacy) Doolittle. Born 1835, died in 1843.

(Thorn Hill.)

DOTY.

Sarah (Wood), wife of Warren Doty. Died July 31, 1862, age 90 years, 2 months, 18 days.

(Warren Doty, son of Samuel and Mercy Doty, was born at Saybrook, Conn., April 23, 1768, and died at Martinsburgh, Lewis Co., N. Y., in 1807. He was of the sixth generation, in line of descent from Edward Doty, who came to Plymouth, Mass., in 1620, in the ship "Mayflower," as follows: Edward, Edward, Samuel, Samuel, Samuel Warren. (See Doty genealogy.) He married at Stephentown, N. Y. Sarah Wood, born at Cherry Valley, N. Y., March 13, 1772, and by her had five children: Reuben, Diana, Silas, Willard and Mercy; of whom Williard only settled in this town.)

(Spafford.)

Willard Doty (son of Warren and Sarah (Wood) Doty. Died March 13, 1882, age 83 years, 8 months, 9 days.

(He was born in Lowville, Lewis Co., N. Y., July 4, 1798, and came early to Spafford, where he married (1) December 11, 1817, Achsah Bacon, daughter of Amos and Abigail (Cody) Bacon, and second, Sarah Jane Eliot, widow of David Ripley, and daughter of Elias and Charity (Warner) Eliot. He had no issue by his second wife, but by the first

had: Abigail, born December 11, 1818, married John W. Eadie, son of James and Martha (Smith) Eadie, March 15, 1843; Warren, born January 21, 1821, married March 15, 1843, Emily Tinkham, daughter of Russel and Mary (Cook) Tinkham, (they had four children: Orlando, born March 27, 1846, married March 27, 1872, Maria Scribner, no living issue; Willard R., born June 18, 1847, married September 15, 1859, Jennette Maxson, daughter of Henry ("Dork") Maxson, has two children, Rollo and Nellie, the latter married William Barber; Mary A., born March 6, 1849, married February 15, 1870, Willard Norton, son of Erastus and Mary (Isdell) Norton, has one daughter, Angeline; and Sarah, born August 26, 1854, married June 4, 1872, John Robinson son of Peter;) Seymour, born Jefferson Co., N. Y., April 3, 1823, died Sept. 10, 1862, married in Spafford, October 10, 1852, Emily Isdell, born in Saratoga Co., January 15, 1828, daughter of Andrew and Mary (Harris) Isdell, she died April 10, 1864, no issue; Caroline, born in Lewis County, August 7, 1825, married John Cleveland, son of Benajah and Mary (Clark) Cleveland, February 8, 1860, and has one child Emeline, (Lina), born October 6, 1865, married Irving Harrington, son of Alfred G. and Vestelina E. (Woodworth) Harrington; Emeline, born Lewis County, December 12, 1827, died October 24, 1862, at Spafford, unmarried; Willard, Jr., born March 16, 1830, killed by a runaway horse September 15, 1846; and Orphana, born March 26, 1834, died May 31st, 1898, married James Hill, son of Alexander and Ann (Kenyon) Hill.)

(Spafford.)

Achsah (Bacon), wife of Willard Doty. Died November 5, 1862, age 67 years, 27 days.

"Verily there is rest for the righteous."

(Spafford.)

Emeline, daughter of Willard and Achsah (Bacon) Doty. Died October 24, 1862, age 34 years, 9 months, 13 days.

(She died unmarried.)

(Spafford.)

Willard, Jr., son of Willard and Achsah (Bacon) Doty. Died September 15, 1846, age 16 years, 6 months.

(He was accidentally killed by a runaway horse.)

(Spafford.)

Seymour Doty, (son of Willard and Achsah (Bacon) Doty. Died September 10, 1862, age 39 years, 5 months, 7 days.

(He married Emily Isdell, daughter of Andrew and Mary (Harris) Isdell. He was born in Jefferson County, N. Y., April 3, 1823. No issue.)

(Spafford.)

Emily Isdell, wife of Seymour Doty. Died April 12, 1864, age 26 years, 2 months, 27 days.

(She was born in Saratoga County, N. Y., January 15, 1828. No issue.)

(Spafford.)

Lottie S., daughter of Willard and Jennette (Maxson) Doty. Died December 14, 1877, age 4 weeks.

"Sweetly sleeping in Jesus."

(Willard Doty, son of Warren and Emily (Tinkham) Doty, married Jennette Maxson, daughter of Henry ("Dork") Maxson.)

(Cold Brook.)

Lovedy E., daughter of Willard and Jennette (Maxson) Doty. Died April 15, 1879, age 1 year, 5 months.

"Sleep on and take thy rest."

(Cold Brook.)

DUNBAR.

Caroline M., our mother, wife of Thaddeus Dunbar. Died June 12, 1845, age 39 years, 4 months.

"Angels have called thee from us, have piloted thee home, Oh! from our sore bereavement may true submission come, Pen cannot paint our sorrows, nor words our anguish tell, How can we dearest Mother, how can we say farewell."

(Thaddeus Dunbar married (1) Caroline M., and (2) Eliza Williamson, daughter of Cornelius and Eliza (Ostrander) Williamson.)

(Spafford.)

EADIE.

James Eadie, a native of Scotland. Died November 2, 1839, age 79 years, 6 months.

(Mr. Eadie first settled in Albany, N. Y., where he married Martha Smith, a native of that place. From there

he moved to Rensselaerville, Rensselaer County, N. Y., and from there to this town, where, after a short stay in the Marecllus end, he finally in 1829, settled on Lot 11, Tully, on the Saneateles and Homer Road, and there continued until his decease. By his wife, Martha Smith, he had the following children: Elizabeth, married David Jenkins, Syracuse, N. Y.; Margaret, married (1) Luther Manley, and (2) Truman Skeels; Jerusha, married James H. Fitzgerald; Daniel S., married Matilda Cowan and went to Chautauqua County, N. Y., where he died; James, Jr., married Zeruah Monk; John W., married Abigail Doty, daughter of Willard and Achsah (Bacon) Doty; Delila, married Shubal Waldo of Aurora, N. Y.; Sarah A., married Joel C. Woodworth, son of James and Hannah (Fish) Woodworth; Euphemia, married David Wiltsie; Charlotte, married John Wiltsie; both Wiltsie families are of Panama, Chautauqua County, N. Y.; Mr. Eadie, while residing in Albany, followed mercantile pursuits, but in this town was a farmer.)

(Spafford.)

Martha (Smith), wife of James Eadie. Died October 11, 1853, age 77 years.

(Spafford.)

Margaret, (wife of Truman Skeels), and daughter of James and Martha (Smith) Eadie. Died June 18, 1857, age 58 years, 9 months, 27 days.

(Spafford.)

James Eadie, Jr. (son of James and Martha (Smith) Eadie. Died May 27, 1879, age 60 years, 11 months, 11 days.

“He is not dead but sleepeth.”

(James Eadie, Jr., married Zeruah Monk, and by her had two sons and three daughters: Frank married Eva A. Bass, daughter of William and Catherine (Eglin) Bass; Charles A. Eadie, Angeline, Anise and Alice.)

(Spafford.)

Zeruah (Monk), wife of James Eadie, Jr. Died November 4, 1881, age 56 years, 3 months, 14 days.

(Spafford.)

John W. Eadie, son of James and Martha (Smith) Eadie. Died October 20, 1873, age 57 years. (No stone.)

(John W. Eadie married Abigail Doty, daughter of Willard and Achsah (Bacon) Doty, and by her had the

following children: Caroline, married Sylvenus A. Churchill, son of Chauncey and Catherine (Merry) Churchill; Achsah, married Caleb W. Churchill, son of Chauncey and Catherine (Merry) Churchill; Mary, Ella, Nettie, Sarah Elesebert, Willard Eadie, and Martha Eadie, who died young.)

(Spafford.)

Abigail Doty, wife of John W. Eadie. Died January 8, 1899, age 82 years. (No stone.)

(Spafford.)

Martha, daughter of John W. and Abigail (Doty) Eadie. Died March 22, 1849, age 2 years, 6 months, 7 days.

(Spafford.)

Peter, son of David S. and Mathilda (Cowan) Eadie. Died May 26, 1849, age 22 years, 21 days.

(David S. Eadie, son of James and Martha Smith Eadie, married Matilda Cowan.)

(Borodino.)

Frank Eadie, son of James, Jr., and Zeruah (Monk) Eadie. Born September 4, 1852, died in 1895.

(Frank Eadie married Eva A. Bass, daughter of William and Catherine (Eglin) Bass, born in Hamilton County, N. Y., and by her had one daughter, Linnie, born September 6, 1885. At the time of his decease he was a merchant in the Village of Borodino.)

(Borodino.)

Eva A. (Bass), wife of Frank Eadie. Born in 1855, (living in 1899.)

(Borodino.)

EARL.

In memory of David Earl. Died August 16, 1818, age 66 years.

(In his will, dated May 22, 1818, and probated October 19, 1818. he mentions his wife Anna Earl, and the following children; William, married Polly Pitts; Nathaniel; David; Peter; Rebecca, married Aaron Bearse, second wife; Mary; and Anna Gordon.)

(Thorn Hill.)

Anna Earl, relict of David Earl. Died February 2, 1843, age 86 years.

(Thorn Hill.)

David Earl, Jr. (son of David and Anna Earl). Died March 1, 1838, age 56 years.

(Thorn Hill.)

William Earl, (son of David and Anna Earl). Died July 1, 1873, age 75 years, 6 months.

William Earl, by his wife Polly Pitts, had the following children: Shepard, married Emeline Smith, daughter of Jared and Rhoda (Harvey) Smith; Ulyssa, married Edward Weston, son of Edmund C. and Clarinda (Rathbone) Weston; Sarah, married Henry Weston, son of Edmund C. and Clarinda (Rathbone) Weston, her husband is now deceased and she resides in Spafford; Anna, married Thomas W. Burns, son of Felix and Elizabeth (Wallace) Burns, her husband is now deceased; David, and William P. Earl, both died young and are buried at Thorn Hill. The Earls and Pitts both originally came from the Town of Onondaga, N. Y.)

(Thorn Hill.)

Polly (Pitts), wife of William Earl. Died April 26, 1889, age 86 years, 8 months.

(Thorn Hill.)

In memory of David, son of William and Polly (Pitts) Earl. Died August 6, 1827, age 4 years, 7 months.

(Thorn Hill.)

William P., son of William and Polly (Pitts) Earl. Died April 5, 1842, age 15 years, 4 months, 17 days.

(Thorn Hill.)

Other Earls at Thorn Hill.

EDDY.

Sylvanus Eddy. Died September 2, 1852, age 64 years.
 "Weep not for me, my companion and children dear,
 But prepare to meet me in Heaven."

(Mr. Eddy, at the time of his decease, was residing on the west side of the road, leading from the residence of Col. Hutchens to Edwin S. Edwards, on Lot 22, Tully. His wife, whose name is not known, died in Auburn, N. Y. Among his children were: Sylvanus, Jr., married Sarah A. Knight (who died on the east side of Otisco Lake, in the town of Otisco, and who in her will, dated February 12, 1874, probated July 10, 1886, mentions the following children: Asa;

Mercy P. Eddy; Mary Lewis, and one grandson: William J. Eddy, son of Myron Eddy, deceased); Samuel, who resided in Auburn, N. Y.; Martin; Lovina, married Washington Babcock; Catherine; Mary; and perhaps others who died young.)

(Spafford.)

Richard M. Eddy. Died April 20, 1875, age 57 years, 11 months, 4 days.

(He married ——— Rich, daughter of Dorr and Anna (Becker) Rich. They came from Washington County, N. Y.

Mary A., his wife, died January 31, 1848, age 76 years, 2 months.

(Borodino.)

Seth Eddy. Died June 19, 1839, age 65 years.

(Seth Eddy came to this town from Floyd, Oneida Co., N. Y. By his wife Terzy he had the following children: Theron; Edwin, married Adeline Berry, daughter of Jonathan and Thankful Berry; Lilley (or Amelia), married William Wallace, son of Daniel and Mary (Low) Wallace; and Olive, married Morgan Wallace, son of Daniel and Mary (Low) Wallace.

(Borodino.)

Sophia B., daughter of Edwin and Adeline (Berry) Eddy. Died March 5, 1873, age 22 years.

(Edwin Eddy and his wife, Adeline Berry, are both dead, and buried in this cemetery.) (No stone at the graves of Edwin and Adeline.)

(Borodino.)

Orrin Eddy. Died August 26, 1897, age 88 years. (No stone.)

(He came to this town from near Fort George, N. Y., and married Harriet Streeter, daughter of Alexander R. and Susan (Carpenter) Streeter. He had by her one son: Orrin F. Eddy, who married (1) Nettie Smith, and (2) Harriet Alvord, daughter of Shubel Alvord of Scott, N. Y. Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Eddy also had an adopted daughter, Sarah A. Baker, daughter of Ashbel and Sarah A. (Streeter) Baker, who married Roland Rollo of Sennett, N. Y. Mr. Eddy was living with his adopted daughter in

Sennett at the time of his decease. He was a blacksmith by trade, a Republican in politics, and much respected.)

(Borodino.)

Harriet (Streeter), wife of Orrin Eddy. Died March 31, 1872, age 52 years, 5 months.

(Borodino.)

Nettie (Smith), wife of Orrin F. Eddy. Died October 7, 1852, age 34 years, 10 months, 3 days.

(Borodino.)

(Harriet Alvord, the second wife of Orrin F. Eddy, died at Scott, N. Y., January 19, 1890.)

(Borodino.)

Julia Ann, daughter of John and Fanny (Williams) Eddy. Died October 31, 1840, age 5 years, 2 months.

(John Eddy, by his wife Fanny, besides Julia Ann, above mentioned, had other children, among whom were: John, Jr., and Deborah B., who married Washington Wallace, son of Daniel and Mary (Low) Wallace. John Eddy and his wife moved away from Spafford.)

(Borodino.)

EDWARDS.

Edwin Seymour Edwards, son of Solomon and Abigail Edwards. Born in Skaneateles, N. Y., March 30, 1806. Died in Spafford, September 23, 1890.

(Edwin S. Edwards married April 24, 1832, Ruth Coon, daughter of David and Phebe (Van Camp) Coon, and by her had the following children: Julius A., born December 2, 1833, married Esther Lowery. She died March 7, 1894, and was buried in Spafford Cemetery, they had one son, Edwin W. Edwards, who married Jennette B. Haskins, and have one daughter, Julius now resides with his son near Preble, N. Y.; Edwin D., born October 13, 1838, married Charlotte C. Adkins, and has one son and one daughter living, having had three other children who died young, resides in Syracuse, N. Y.; and John Orlando, born January 25, 1842, died June 30, 1843. Mr. Edwards was a farmer, but read and practiced medicine. He was Supervisor of this town in 1861-3, Overseer of the Poor in 1848-9, besides at different times holding other minor town offices. He was frequently called upon to act as executor and administrator in the settlement of estates, and was generally re-

spected by his townspeople. He and his wife were members of the M. E. Church, in which society Mr. Edwards was for a long time the chorister of the choir, and superintendent of the Sunday School. He was descended from Alexander Edwards, who came from Wales in 1640, and settled early in Springfield, Mass., as follows: Edwin, Solomon, Solomon, Ebenezer, Nathaniel, Nathaniel, Alexander. (No stone.)
(Spafford.)

Ruth Coon, wife of Edwin S. Edwards. Born December 22, 1805, died in Spafford. (No stone.)
(Spafford.)

John O., son of Edwin S. and Ruth (Coon) Edwards. Died June 30, 1843, age 1 year, 5 months, 5 days.
"Suffer little children to come unto me and forbid them not
For of such is the Kingdom of Heaven."
(Spafford.)

Esther Lowery, wife of Julius A. Edwards. Died March 7, 1894, age 52 years. (No stone.)

(Julius and his wife Esther had one son, Edwin W. Edwards, who married Jennette B. Haskins, and has one daughter.)
(Spafford.)

Ebenezer Edwards, son of Solomon and Catherine (Clark) Edwards. Died January 11, 1830, age 52 years.
"Come hither mortal, cast an eye
And go thy way and prepare to die."

(Ebenezer Edwards was an uncle of Edwin S. Edwards. In his will, dated December 15, 1829, and probated April 10, 1830, he mentions his wife, Sybel Edwards, his adopted daughter Calista Mead, and his children: William; Solomon; Sereno; and Polly Edwards. The branch of the Edwards family through which Ebenezer and his nephew, Edwin S. Edwards, trace their descent from Alexander Edwards, the emigrant ancestor, came to Skaneateles from Nothampton, Mass., in the year 1809: Ebenezer, Solomon, Ebenezer, Nathaniel, Nathaniel, Alexander.)

(Thorn Hill.)

EGGLESTON.

Dea Benjamin Eggleston, left us January 9, 1868, in the full assurance of a blissful immortality, through Christ his Saviour, age 85 years.

“ Precious in the sight of the Lord is the
Death of his Saint.”

(He married Elizabeth Wiltsie. In his will, dated February 18, 1865, and probated March 23, 1868, he mentions his wife, Elizabeth Eggleston, and his children: Myron; Rolfe; John; Theodore, married Sarah A. Gardner; Delilah Goodridge; Adeline Wood; Catherine Coon; Rebecca, married Austin Wyckoff of Navarino, N. Y.; Mary, married Augustin Vanderburgh, son of Stephen and Maria (Calkins) Vanderburg; Ruth M. Eggleston, and Sarah E. Patterson.)

(Thorn Hill.)

Our Mother, Elizabeth (Wiltsie), wife of Dea Benjamin Eggleston. Departed this life August 31, 1874, age 85 years, 5 months.

“ With a good Hope in Christ of a Blessed and glorious Resurrection to Eternal Life.”

(Thorn Hill.)

Sarah A. (Gardner), wife of Theodore Eggleston. Died February 20, 1874, age 37 years, 6 months.

“ In earnest of Heaven was her pillow in Death.”

(Theodore Eggleston was a son of Dea. Benjamin and Elizabeth (Wiltsie) Eggleston.)

(Thorn Hill.)

EGLIN.

Isaac D. Eglin. Born October 4, 1824. Died November 22, 1904.

(He married (1) Elizabeth Dedrick, daughter of William and Thurzy (McCausey) Dedrick; and (2) Ailce Case, daughter of Aaron G. and Rebecca (Monk) Case.)

(Borodino.)

Elizabeth (Dedrick), wife of Isaac Eglin. Died April 14, 1886, age 58 years, 10 months, 25 days.

“ Dearest husband! thou dearest friend of my
Mortal years, thou trusted one thou tried,
Thou art still living in the valley of tears,
But I am at thy side.”

(In her will, dated June 25, 1878, probated July 7, 1890, she mentions her husband, Isaac D. G. Eglin, but no children. She also mentions her brother, William J. Dedrick, of Spafford; her uncle, Samuel Dedrick of Rhode Island;

her uncle, Henry Dedrick of Rhode Island; Tilson Wood and his sister, Louisa, children of her Aunt Harriet Wood, late of Rhode Island, deceased; her aunt, Sally Reed, of Rhode Island; her aunt, Catherine, sister of her father, William Dedrick; and Mrs. Helen Williams, daughter of Charles McCausey of Spafford.)

(Borodino.)

Alice (Case), wife of Isaac Eglin. Born January 16, 1859. Died December 14, 1905.

(Borodino.)

Lehana Delbert, only son of Isaac and Elizabeth Dedrick) Eglin. Died July 5, 1877, age 24 years, 6 months, 5 days.

“No sin, no grief, no pain,
Safe in my happy home,
My fears all fled, my doubts all slain,
My hour of triumph come.”

(Borodino.)

ELDRED.

Louisa M., daughter of James and Juliett Eldred. Died April 17, 1843, age 2 years, 3 months, 21 days.

“None but a parent’s heart can tell
How much it costs to bid this lovely child farewell.”

(Cold Brook.)

ELIOT.

Andrew J. Eliot, (son of Elias and Charity (Warner) Eliot). Died September 27, 1886, age 70 years.

(The paternal grandparents of Andrew J. Eliot were Andrew and Jennie (Ayers) Eliot. Their children were: Daniel, married Hannah Carpenter; Lucretia, married Stephen Giles; Elisha, died young; Jacob, married Patience Tripp; George, married Jennie McCarthy; Mollie, married William Seward; Peter, married Jerusha McCarthy; Luke, married Betsey ———; Hannah, married Daniel Hoyt; Betsey, married Nahum Thompson; and Elias, married Charity Warner.

Elias Eliot, born in Decatur, Otsego County, N. Y., in January, 1793, died in Spafford, May, 1841 age 48 years, and buried in Geddes, N. Y., married in 1813 Charity Warner, born April 9, 1795, and died in Deadwood, S. Da., September

2, 1895, age 100 years, 4 months, 23 days, daughter of Charles and Sarah (Stockwell) Warner, and by her had the following children: Sarah Jane, born March 1, 1815, married (1) David Ripley, son of Jonathan and Ruth (Corey) Ripley, and (2) Willard Doty, son of Warren and Sarah (Wood) Doty, and by her first husband had seven children (see Ripley); Andrew J., born February 11, 1817, married Sarah Ann Bulfinch, daughter of Joseph and Lydia (Harrington) Bulfinch; Lucy Ann, born February 17, 1819, married Joseph H. Bulfinch, son of Joseph and Lydia (Harrington) Bulfinch, she had three children, only one surviving: Mrs. Alice M. Cramer, with whom in 1899 she resided in Yanton, South Dakota (see Bulfinch); Charles, born December 1, 1821, married Lodemia Hawkins, and has one child, Nellie; Elias E., born July 28, 1822, married Helen Morey, had two daughters, Nettie and Nellie; Wesley S., born January 5, 1824; married Jennie ———, and has one daughter Jennie; Lewis H., born February 13, 1826, married (1) Henrietta Morey, (2) Mary Treadwell, no issue; James M., born October 11, 1828, died at the age of 26, unmarried, at the Globe Hotel, in Syracuse, N. Y.; George W., born November 11, 1831, married in Chico, Cal., no issue; Warner A., born January 31, 1833, married Lottie Spaid, and had seven children: Charles, Chauncey, Craig, Willie, Kathlyn, Flora, Raymond; Helen C., born April 9, 1836 married Col. Gideon C. Moody, her husband has been United States Senator from South Dakota, she has had five children: Nellie, Charles, James, Burdett, and Warner, she now resides in Deadwood, S. Da.; and Mary Elizabeth, born April 5, 1838, married Thomas Chandoin, Louisville, Ky., five children, Alice, Thomas, George, Eliot and Charles. She is now deceased. Elias Eliot, when he resided in Spafford, lived on Ripley Hill, south of the Ripley Place. so called, on Lot 42, Tully.

Andrew J. Eliot, by his wife Sarah Ann Bulfinch, had five children: Jane Ann, married Newton Bates (no issue); Mary, (now deceased), married John Van Benschoten, son of James and ——— (Price) Van Benschoten, two children: Sarah, married Edwin Van Benschoten, son of James and ——— (Price) Van Benschoten, husband dead, one son, resides at Onondaga Valley, N. Y.; Andrew, died young; and Lewis Henry, died young.

Mrs. Charity (Warner) Eliot, the mother of Andrew J. Eliot, was in many ways a remarkable woman, of strong personality, high Christian character, and full of kindness and motherly tenderness. Her father, Charles Warner, was a soldier of the Revolution, and died at Geddes, N. Y. By his wife, Sarah Stockwell, he had nine children: Esther, Lucy, Charity, Sophia, Betsey, Mary Sarah, Charles and Israel; several of whom, besides Charity, lived to a remarkable old age.)

(Spafford.)

Lewis Henry, son of Andrew J. and Sarah A. (Bulfinch) Eliot. Died September 12, 1851, age 9 months, 11 days.

(Spafford.)

ELISON.

Hannah, wife of George Elison. Died August 1, 1841, age 28 years, 4 months, 12 days.

“When ere my children do draw nigh
And on this marble cast an eye,
Then on this willow drop a tear
For one who always loved you dear.”

(Spafford.)

Mary, daughter of George and Hannah Elison. Died December 24, 1830, age 4 months, 15 days.

(Spafford.)

EMMONS.

Mary A. (Abbott), wife of Lewis Emmons. Died April 14, 1884, age 54 years.

(Lewis Emmons came from LaFayette. By his wife, Mary A. Abbott, he had two children: George, married Mary L. Grinnell, daughter of Ansel and Asenath (Bennett) Grinnell; and Milton, married Laura Stanton, daughter of Samuel H. and Sarah (Patterson) Stanton.

(Borodino.)

Anna M. Patten, wife of William A. Emmons. Died February 2, 1869, age 40 years.

(William A. Emmons came from LaFayette; his wife was a daughter of William and Fanny (Rathbone) Patten.)

(Borodino.)

Frank, son of William A. and Anna M. (Patten) Emmon. Died June 2, 1868, age 3 years.

(Borodino.)

ENGLISH.

Mary (Taft), wife of John W. English. Died November 14, 1849, age 33 years.

(John W. English, son of Richard and Eliza English, married Mary Taft, daughter of Ellis and Cynthia (Knapp) Taft. The English family, through mistake, were from Ireland. The family left Spafford about 1836, and settled in Ohio and Michigan, where its descendants remain.

(Cold Brook.)

ENOS.

Chloe, wife of Joseph Enos. Born May 4, 1777, died January 19, 1843.

(Joseph Enos also died at Thorn Hill, September 20, 1852, age 73 years.)

(Thorn Hill.)

Jessie, daughter of Charles H. and Josephine (Williams) Enos. Died July 18, 1878, age 1 year, 2 months.

"God's little angel gone home."

(Charles H. Enos was an adopted son of Joseph Enos, Jr. In 1898 he was residing at Rock Creek, Minn.)

(Borodino.)

FAY.

John Fay. Died June 23, 1857, in his 68 year.

(Mr. Fay, by his wife, Isabel, had the following children: Andrew, married Milly Harris, daughter of William and Nancy (Davis) Harris; Jeremiah, who died unmarried at the age of about 28 years; and Mary Ann, married Robert Randall, son of Silas and Mercey (Harrington) Randall.)

(Spafford.)

Isabel, wife of John Fay. Died June 2, 1859, in her 68th year.

(Spafford.)

Jeremiah Fay, (son of John and Isabel Fay). Died June 3, 1859, age 27 years, 10 months, 14 days.

(Spafford.)

FERRY.

Asa Ferry. Died January 9, 1864, age 84 years, 3 months, 12 days.

(He married first Ruhama ———, who died Novem-

ber 5, 1818, second, Christina Buffington, who died May 11, 1852, in her 73rd year, and third, Harmony ————. In the petition for letters of administration upon his estate, made March 9, 1864, by his wife, Harmony Ferry, mention is made of the following children: Chester, married Saba Buffington, of Spafford, N. Y.; Harvey, then residing in Wisconsin; Malinda, married Joseph K. Lamb, he then deceased and she then of Wisconsin; Dolly, married Asa Keen, of Ohio; and Lavina, married Clark Bowker of Wisconsin.)

(Borodino.)

Mrs. Ruhama, wife of Asa Ferry. Died November 5, 1818, age 40 years.

(Thorn Hill.)

Christina (Buffington), wife of Asa Ferry. Died May 11, 1852, in her 73rd year.

(She was a widow when she married Mr. Ferry, and the mother of Charles H. Buffington, who died January 6, 1852, and was buried in this cemetery.)

(Borodino.)

Chester Ferry, (son of Asa and Ruhama Ferry). Died March 16, 1876, age 76 years, 6 months.

(He married Saba Buffington, whom he survived. In the petition for letters of administration upon his estate by his son, Charles H. Ferry, dated April 21, 1876, mention is made of the following children: Charles H., merchant, residing in Syracuse, N. Y.; Asa P., of Rockford, Kent Co., Mich.; George H., of Canonsburgh, Kent Co., Mich.; Jane, married Sylvester H. Sheldon, they are both dead, and buried in Oakwood Cemetery, Syracuse, N. Y.; Harriet Davis, of Rockford, Mich.; Henrietta Miller, of Canonsburg, Stevens Co., Mich.; Martha Barnes, of Navarino, N. Y.; Ruhama Ida, of Ellery, Stevens Co., Illinois; Americus V., of Skaneateles, N. Y., and John T. Ferry, of Rockford, Mich. Harriet died young.)

(Borodino.)

Saba (Buffington), wife of Chester Ferry. Died February 16, 1873, age 70 years.

(Borodino.)

Harriet, daughter of Chester and (Saba) Sarah Ferry. Died March 31, 1836, age 3 months, 27 days.

(Borodino.)

FILKINS.

George D. Filkins. Died March 30, 1855, age 42 years.

(He married Margaret Fisher, daughter of Dakin and Sally (Youst) Fisher, and by her had three children: Ensign D., who was a soldier in the War of 1861, and died unmarried at the age of nearly 26, in the year 1863; Angeline, married George Spencer Carr, son of Thurston and, Lorane (Green) Carr, at Spafford, March 5, 1871 resides in Heber, Arkansas; and Orrissa, married Marcus N. Seeley, son of Hiram and Betsey Jane (Jacobs) Seeley, her husband died in 1892 and she now resides in Syracuse, N. Y.)

(Spafford.)

Margaret (Fisher) Churchell, former wife of George D. Filkins. Died March 1, 1879, age 66 years, 2 months, 21 days.

(After the decease of her first husband, George D. Filkins, she married Alexander M. Churchell, son of James and Hannah (Dobbs) Churchell, as his third wife. She was buried by the side of her first husband.)

(Spafford.)

Ensign D., son of George D. and Margaret (Fisher) Filkins. Died September 28, 1863, age 25 years, 10 months, 13 days.

(He was a Union soldier in the War of 1861.)

(Spafford.)

FISHER.

Sacred to the memory of Amos Fisher, who died October 28, 1833, age 82 years, 6 days.

(The Fishers came to this town from Springfield, Otsego Co., N. Y., before 1820, and settled on the southeastern part (of subdivision No. 6) of Lot 1, Tully. By his wife, Margaret, Mr. Amos Fisher had the following children: Rachel, married Osmer Orton of Spafford, N. Y.; Dakin, married Sally Youst, of Spafford, N. Y.; Clarissa Cone of Mayville, Chautauqua Co., N. Y.; Amos, of Otsego, N. Y.; Rebecca married William Billings, of Spafford, N. Y.; Sarah, married Ossage Cone, of Pomfret, Chautauqua Co., N. Y.; Eli, married Nancy ———, of Spafford, N. Y.; Mary, married Erastus Wait, of Chagrin, Ohio; Orrissa, married

Jeremiah Crane, of Bane, Orleans Co., N. Y.; John, died in Spafford, unmarried; and Margaret, married Col. Lewis C. Davis, Margaret died before her father and left the following children: Judson, Joline, Laura, John, and Lewis Davis. Mrs. Margaret Fisher survived her husband, and is supposed to have been buried with her husband in the Davis Yard. (No stone.)

(Davis Yard.)

John Fisher (son of Amos and Margaret Fisher.) Born at Springfield, Otsego Co., N. Y. July 15, 1794, died December 31, 1874.

(He died unmarried.)

(Davis Yard.)

Dakin Fisher, (son of Amos and Margaret Fisher). Died June 21, 1849, age 68 years, 10 months, 8 days.

"How suddenly he's called away Eternity to view,

No time to regulate his house nor bid the world adied."

(He married Sally Youst, and by her had the following children: Philip, married Harriet Legg, daughter of Capt. Otis and Polly (Sabin) Legg; Elihu, married Lydia Ann Collins, daughter of John and Lucy (Burdick) Collins and widow of John Orton; George Y., married Lavinia Burdick, daughter of Russel M. and Esther (Whiting) Burdick; Margaret, married (1) George D. Filkins, and (2) Alexander M. Churchell, son of James and Hannah (Dobbs) Churchell; Celinda, married William Churchell, son of James and Hannah (Dobbs) Churchell; and Orrissa, married Franklin Roundy, son of Capt. Asahel and Hannah (Weston) Roundy; Mercy, died at 22 years, unmarried.)

(Spafford.)

Sally (Youst), wife of Dakin Fished. Died December 2, 1860, age 77 years, 6 months, 13 days.

"Our Mother's gone but not forgotten."

(Spafford.)

Mercy, daughter of Dakin and Sally (Youst) Fisher. Died April 8, 1844, age 22 years, 9 months, 24 days.

(Spafford.)

Harriet (Legg), wife of Philip Fisher. Died June 8, 1844, in her 34th year.

(Philip Fisher, son of Dakin and Sally (Youst) Fisher, married Harriet Legg, daughter of Capt. Otis and Polly (Sabin) Legg, and had the following children: Otis, married

Maria Maxson; Oscar, married Ann Eliza Frederick, daughter of Jacob and Rachel (Newkirk) Frederick! Angeline, died unmarried; William Eaton, married Phebe Ingerson, adopted daughter of Peter Ingerson; and Mary, married (1) Nelson Boughton at Spafford, October 2, 1854, and (2) Silas J. White, March 19, 1863. In 1885 she resided at Plymouth, Cerro Gordo Co., Iowa. By her first husband, Mary has one daughter, Angeline, married James Allen, Jr., and by her second husband she has a son, who is a West Point graduate and now in the regular Army of the United States. Philip Fisher is also deceased.)

(Spafford.)

Angeline, daughter of Philip and Harriet (Legg) Fisher. Died March 27, 1853, age 20 years.

"To live in the memory of those we leave behind is not to die."

(Spafford.)

William E. Fisher, (son of Philip and Harriet (Legg) Fisher). Died March 30, 1868, age 32 years.

(A soldier in the War of 1861.)

"Our son is gone but not forgotten.)

(He married Phebe Ingerson, adopted daughter of Peter Ingerson of Spafford Hollow.)

(Spafford.)

Nancy E., daughter of Eli and Nancy Fisher. Died January 11, 1835, age 8 years, 2 months, 23 days.

(Eli Fisher was a son of Amos and Margaret Fisher; he was born probably in Springfield, Otsego Co., N. Y., before 1802, married his wife Nancy before October 15, 1823, at which time she joined him in a deed, conveying land in Spafford Hollow on Lot 23, Tully. A few days subsequent he purchased 25 acres of Cornelius Williamson, on Lot 12, Tully. There are no descendants of this marriage known to the writer. For many years Eli Fisher ran the Potashery at Spafford Corners, before 1850; he was then an old man and worked for Levi Hurlbut and Asahel M. Roundy, and boarded at their houses. He and his wife have been dead for about fifty years. They have no stone marking their graves in this town.)

(Borodino.)

Alice, daughter of Edgar and E——— (Brown) Fisher. Died October 18, 1881, age 1 year, 3 months, 3 days.

(Edgar Fisher is an Englishman, and his wife is a daughter of Truman and Abigail (Moore) Brown of Thorn Hill, and a granddaughter of Zenas and Abigail Moore. In 1898 Mr. Fisher was residing on the Cornelius Williamson Farm, on Lot 12, Tully.)

(Spafford.)

FITZGERALD.

Mrs. Anna, wife of Jeremiah Fitzgerald. Died August 15, 1834, age 85 years.

(Jeremiah Fitzgerald came to this town from Walkill, N. Y., in the Spring of 1806, and settled on 300 acres owned by him on lot 70, Marcellus. He died in 1817 (and was buried in the old Boodino Cemetery, on the farm of Alexander Becker, north of the Village of Borodino, now in disuse.

(Thorn Hill.)

Jeremiah Fitzgerald. Died September 25, 1816, age 65 years.

In his will, dated August 20, 1810, and probated February 17, 1817, he mentions his wife, Anna Fitzgerald, and the following children: William; Elizabeth, married Warren Kneeland, son of Jonathan and Mary (Spencer) Kneeland; Susanna; David, married Phebe ———; John, married Abigail ———; and Jeremiah, married Sylvia ———. He also mentions his two grandchildren, Jane and James H. Fitzgerald, children of his daughter, Elizabeth Fitzgerald, who subseuent to their birth, married Warren Kneeland. James H. Fitzgerald married Jerusha Eadie, daughter of James and Martha Smith Eadie.)

(Thorn Hill.)

FORCE.

Sally Force, wife of Henry Force. Died October 8, 1843, age 54 years, 3 months, 5 days.

“Here let me rest my weary head

‘Till Christ, my Lord, shall raise the Dead.”

(Henry Force resided on Lot 75, Marcellus. He died September 25, 1847, in this town (no stone). In the petition of Dr. Isaac Morrell, a creditor, dated October 6, 1847, for letters of administration upon his estate, no mention is

made of a wife, but of the following children: William; Kellogg; Jane; Sarah, married Dorwin Day; Adeline, married William Campbell; and Henrietta, married Annariah Manley. All were then of full age except Jane, who was a minor.)

(Borodino.)

FORD.

In memory of a son of John and Chloe Ford. Died April 14, 1821.

(Cold Brook.)

Daniel, son of John and Chloe Ford. Died April 3, 1820, in his 10th year.

(John and Chloe Ford resided on the west part of Lot 44, Tully, in Cold Brook. Among their children, besides the foregoing, were: Elisha, married ———— Smith, and died in Brooklyn, N. Y.; John B., married Sally Miner, widow of Sanford Thayer, resides in Skaneateles, N. Y.; Lydia, married Orrin Town, of Cold Brook, N. Y., and ———, married Ansel Bacon.)

(Cold Brook.)

FOSTER.

Albert Foster, (son of Samuel Foster). Born July 24, 1800, (in Salisbury, Litchfield Co., Conn.) Died January 8, 1879, (in Spafford, New York.)

(He married (1) Clarissa Maxson, daughter of Thomas and ———— (Sessions) Maxson, at Salisbury, Litchfield Co., Conn., January 2, 1823, and settled first in Hillsdale, Columbia Co., N. Y., where he remained about eight years, and from there came to this town and settled in Cold Brook about 1833. He finally settled on Lot 33, Tully, about 1841, where he remained until the time of his decease. After the decease of his first wife he married (2) June 5, 1867, at Spafford, N. Y., Clarissa G. Reynolds, widow of Horace Smith, but by her had no issue. His children by his first wife were: LaFayette, born July 23, 1824, married October 23, 1850, at Spafford, N. Y. Sarah Jane Ripley, born December 3, 1832, daughter of David and Sarah Jane (Eliot) Ripley, resides in Sioux City, Iowa, and has three children, Albro; Emma and Ernest, each married and each having

three children; Thomas Maxson, born October 1, 1826, merchant in this town to the time of his decease, December 26, 1898, unmarried; James S., born November 20, 1828, died September 29, 1890 at Mitchell, South Dakota, married April 6, 1852, in Spafford, Frances Ann Ripley, born January 17, 1835, daughter of David and Sarah Jane (Eliot) Ripley; Charles W., born May 19, 1832, died April 11, 1875, near Yankton, S. Da., married February 27, 1853, at Spafford, N. Y., Mary A. Burroughs, born October 29, 1835, daughter of Alvin Burroughs, and had four children; and George I., born December 29, 1837, married at Davis, Ill., December, 1873, Phila Smith, resides at Fargo, North Dakota, and had two children.)

(Cold Brook.)

Clarissa (Maxson), wife of Albert Foster. Born December 26, 1798, died May 5, 1866.

(She was born in Salisbury, Litchfield Co., Conn.)

(Cold Brook.)

Clarissa G. (Reynolds), wife of Albert Foster. Born June 1, 1809, died November 5, 1873.

(At the time of her marriage to Mr. Foster she was widow of Horace Smith, (second wife), with one son by Mr. Smith, Frederick R. Smith.)

(Cold Brook.)

Bennie, son of James S. and Frances A. (Ripley Foster. Died March 1, 1860, age 6 months.

(James S. Foster, son of Albert and Clarissa (Maxson) Foster, married Frances A. Ripley, daughter of David and Sarah Jane (Eliot) Ripley, and by her had, in addition to the above, the following children: Clara J., married Osgood H. Carney, and had three children: Foster Dewitt, married Cora Westfall and resides in Yankton, S. Da.; Kate Morrison, married Carl E. Bigelow and has one child, Ruth, resides in Galveston, Texas; and Carol Earl, died in infancy; Cora, married George H. Miner and had six children: William Vance, married Blanche ———, two children, Helen and Grace; Frances, married Ory P. Shaw, one son, Miner; Cora, unmarried; Charity Eliot, unmarried, and Laura, died in infancy; Albert David, married Hattie Whalen and had four children: Fannie, James, Clara, and Martha; James and Martha died in infancy; Fannie Anable, unmarried; Martha Aldrich, unmarried; and Thomas

Maxson, unmarried. Mr. James S. Foster died in Mitchell, S. Da., September 29, 1890.)

(Cold Brook.)

In memory of Lydia, wife of Levi Foster, who died April 21, 1827, age 45 years, 3 months, 1 day.

(Levi Foster came from Onondaga, N. Y., January 2, 1816, and settled on Lot 21, Tully, on the farm now occupied by Joseph L. Cole (1899), and from there moved to the Nunnery neighborhood, and resided on Lot 12, Sempronius, where his wife died. He moved away from town after the death of his wife, and very little is known of him or his family at the present time.)

(Nunnery.)

FREDERICK.

Jacob Frederick. Died March 18, 1865, age 69 years.

(Jacob Frederick came to the Marcellus end of this town before 1823, and settled at or near the Village of Borodino, but soon afterwards moved to a farm near Spafford Village), his wife was Rachel Newkirk, and by her he had the following children: Sarah M., married Roswell Brown of Moravia, Cayuga County, N. Y.; John W., married (1) Miss Jennings of Poughkeepsie, N. Y., by whom he had a son, William J. Frederick, member of Board of Underwriters, Syracuse, N. Y.; he married (2) Mary Antonette Atwater in 1868, she died in 1879, leaving a daughter, Georgia, who in 1879 married Dr. Ernest F. Clymer of Syracuse, N. Y.; Lewis W., married Louisa Beeman, resided at Homer, N. Y., and Coldwater, Mich.; Lucetta, married Horatio Smith, resides South Butler, Wayne Co., N. Y.; Ann Eliza, married Oscar F. Fisher, son of Philip and Harriet (Legg) Fisher, resides in Homer N. Y.; Minerva J. married Darius Applebee; George P., died prior to his father's decease, married S—F—, and had one daughter, Mary C. Frederick of Brooklyn, N. Y.; Alanson S., married Sarah Thompson, daughter of Nathan P. and Margaret (Hutchins) Thompson, he and his wife are both deceased; he is buried in Liverpool, N. Y., and she in Spafford Cemetery, left two children, Roswell T., married Catherine Kingsbury, daughter of Andrew E. Kingsbury of Homer, Roswell is a real estate broker in Syracuse, N. Y., and Caroline Frederick, unmarried, resides in Homer, N. Y.; Calista B., married C. B.

Miller of Cazenovia, N. Y., dead; and Caleb H., accidentally killed by the cut of a scythe, at the age of eleven years. At the time of his decease, Jacob Frederick was residing in the Village of Spafford Corners. He was Low Dutch. John W. Frederick married for a third wife, Miss Emma Wood, of Syracuse, N. Y., who survived him. By his third wife he had no issue; he died in 1895.)

(Spafford.)

Rachel (Newkirk), wife of Jacob Frederick. Died April 5, 1877, age 79 years.

(Spafford.)

Caleb H., son of Jacob and Rachel (Newkirk) Frederick. Died August 20, 1846, age 11 years.

(Accidentally killed by the cut of a scythe in the thigh.)

(Spafford.)

George P., son of George and S——— F. Frederick. Died February 8, 1845, age 5 months, 20 days.

(George Frederick was a son of Jacob and Rachel (Newkirk) Frederick.)

Sarah Thompson wife of Alanson S. Frederick. Born in Spafford, April 11, 1837. Died in Homer, N. Y., March 18, 1898.

(Spafford.)

(Alanson S. Frderick, son of Jacob and Rachel (Newkirk) Frederick, died and was buried in Liverpool, N. Y.).

(His wife has no stone.)

(Spafford.)

FULLER.

Alice L., daughter of Francis M. and Mary Fuller. Died April 19, 1863, age 2 years, 6 months, 29 days.

(Spafford Hollow.)

FULTON.

In memory of Robert Fulton who died March 28, 1829, age 78 years.

“ Let not the dead forgotten lie,
Lest living men forget to die.”

(Robert Fulton, by his wife Sarah, had three children who were well known residents of this town: Eleazer Emer-

son, born February 2, 1789, died at Borodino, N. Y., March 30, 1853, married Pamela ———; Robert C., born 1800, died January 12, 1852, at Borodino. N. Y., married ———; and Amanda, born August 27, 1803, died at Borodino, N. Y., September 4, 1856, married William Legg and had one daughter, Eunice A., who married David Becker, son of Peter and Mary (Eadie) Becker, both dead, and buried in this cemetery.)

(Borodino.)

In memory of Sarah Fulton, wife of Robert Fulton, who died May 4, 1846, age 82 years, 4 months.

(Borodino.)

Eleazer Emerson Fulton, (son of Robert and Sarah Fulton). Died May 30, 1853, age 64 years, 1 month, 2 days.

(Eleazer Emerson Fulton by his wife Parmelia had the following children: Albert E., born 1821, died August 8, 1885, at Lansing, Mich., married (1) Izabenda Bearse, daughter of Aaron and Phebe (Simth) Bearse, and widow of Ansel Churchell, and (2) Mrs. Martha Hutton, widow of Caleb Hutton, of Lansing, Mich., no issue by either marriage; Heman D., married Eliza L. ——— and resides in Skaneateles, N. Y.; and Hiram W., born at Elbridge, N. Y.; died at Forbs, Mo., March, 1884 (buried in this cemetery).

(Borodino.)

Parmelia, wife of Eleazer Emerson Fulton. Died November 4, 1871, age 78 years, 7 months.

“A true wife, a faithful mother,

A devout Christian, a character worthy of imitation.”

(Borodino.)

Albert E. Fulton, (son of E. Emerson and Parmelia Fulton). Died August 8, 1885, age 64 years, 2 months, 18 days.

(Borodino.)

Izabenda (Bearse), wife of Albert E. Fulton. Died May 21, 1875, age 58 years, 1 month, 15 days.

(She had one daughter only, Jennie E. Churchell, by her first husband, Ansel Churchell, who married Erastus E. Brown, now of Lincoln, Nebraska.)

(Borodino.)

Hiram W. Fulton, (son of E. Emerson and Parmelia Fulton). Born at Elbridge, N. Y., April 23, 1827. Died at Forbes, Mo., March, 1884, in his 57th year.

(Borodino.)

Ella A., daughter of Heman D. and Eliza L. Fulton. Died June 4, 1875, age 20 years, 5 months.

(Heman D. Fulton, son of Eleazer Emerson and Parmelia Fulton, by his wife, Eliza L., had the following children: Eva P.; Nellie L.; Mary E., and Albert W. Fulton; the first three reside in Skaneateles, N. Y., with their parents and the latter in West Satecoy, California.)

H. D. Fulton, 1822-1909.

Eliza L. Town (w.), 1828-1902.

(Borodino.)

Robert C. Fulton, (son of Robert and Sarah Fulton). Died January 12, 1852, age 53 years.

(Robert C. Fulton married _____, and had thee children: Jerome, who died in Preble, N. Y.; _____ married John Weston, Jr., and _____, married John Colter.)

(Borodino.)

GALE.

John Gale, Esq. Died May 17, 1836, age 71 years.

(John Gale settled in the Marcellus end of the town before 1807. By his wife, Martha, he had four children: John, Jr., married Miss Grinnell, daughter of Isaiah and Jane (Crane) Grinnell; Samuel, married (1) Sally Manley, and (2) Rebecca Mead; Richard, married Amelia E. _____; and Mary, married Zebulon Davis as his second wife, she died and was buried in Cold Brook.)

(Borodino.)

Mrs. Martha, wife of John Gale, Sr. Died May 23, 1831, age 69 years, 2 months, 14 days.

(Borodino.)

John Gale, Jr., (son of John and Martha Gale). Died December 31, 1852, age 53 years.

(Borodino.)

Samuel Gale, (son of John and Martha Gale). Died October 25, 1864, in 79 years.

“ And now behold his race is run,
 His suffering o'er, his labor done,
 May living friends be ready too,
 To bid this fleeting world adieu.”

(He married (1) Sally Manley, and (2) Rebecca Mead. The latter died and was buried in Cleveland, Ohio. By his first wife he had: Betsey Ann, married George Frink Knapp, son of Elijah and Betsey (Burdick) Knapp; and by his second wife he had: Judson, married Hulda Davidson, he was a teacher, School Commissioner, and now resides in Homer N. Y.; Cornelia, married Joel Townsend, resides in Texas; and Charles, married Eliza ———, died out West. Samuel Gale first resided in the Nunnery neighborhood, and then on Lot 42, Tully, near the county line on the Skan-eateles and Homer road.

(Thorn Hill.)

In memory of Sally (Manley) Gale, (wife of Samuel Gale, who died March 12, 1821, age 27 years.

(Thorn Hill.)

GAY.

Barnett A. Gay. Died September 17, 1883, age 67 years.

He came from Preble, N. Y., and married Amanda F. Smith, who is also deceased and buried in this cemetery. She has no stone. By his wife, Amanda, Mr. Gay had the following children: Frances, married Albert Kemp; Martin Frink, married Ida May Lyon, daughter of George W. and Cornelia (Barker) Lyon; Theresa, married Wesley Moon; and Jennie M., married Alexander J. Boutell, son of Samuel and Catherine (Williamson) Boutell. She is now deceased.)

(Cold Brook.)

Ida May Gay, daughter of George W. and Cornelia M. (Barker) Lyon. Died May 27, 1884, age 26 years.

(She married Martin Frink Gay, son of Barnett A. and Amanda F. (Smith) Gay).

(Spafford.)

Mrs. Calista Gay. Died November 25, 1885, age 70 years. (No stone.)

(She was the wife of Robert M. Gay, formerly of Spafford Hollow.)

(Borodino.)

GARUTHERS—(CARUTHER).

Thomas Garuthers. Died May 17, 1857, age 73 years.
 (His wife Maria, after his decease, married John T. Gregory. They were all English.)

(Thorn Hill.)

GEER.

Morris Geer. Died at Thorn Hill, December 23, 1888, age 90 years. (No stone.)

(He was born in Ireland, and married Mrs. Joanna Dunn, widow, and by her had one son: James Geer, of Syracuse, N. Y. Mrs. Dunn by her first husband also had one son: Peter Dunn.)

(Borodino.)

Joanna Dunn), wife of Morris Geer. Died September 20, 1855, in her 50th year.

(Borodino.)

GIFFORD.

Henry A. Gifford. Died March 18, 1892, age 83 years.

“Dearest loved one we have laid thee
 In the peaceful grave’s embrace,
 But thy memory will be cherished,
 ’Till we see thy heavenly face.”

(Mr. Gifford was the father of Morey Gifford, of Marietta, N. Y.)

(Thorn Hill.)

Betsey, wife of Henry A. Gifford. Died at Thorn Hill, July 27, 1881, age 69 years. (No stone.)

(Thorn Hill.)

Filura, daughter of Nicholas and Rebecca (Caton) Gifford. Died August 9, 1853, age 1 year, 6 months.

(Nicholas Gifford came from the South, and settled in 1853 just north of the county line, on the State’s Hundred on Lot 44, Tully; by his wife Rebecca Caton he had: Andrew J.; Dennison; Manly; Vinal, married Mercy A. Barber, daughter of Charles and Betsey (Randall) Barber, he is now in Auburn State’s Prison; Almus, in 1876 was in House of Refuge at Rochester, N. Y.; Devillo, formerly of Cortland, N. Y.; Rosetta and Filura, died young. Nicholas

Gifford died in Auburn State's Prison, April 15, 1876, and his wife, prior to his incarceration, perished of cold in a neighbor's dooryard, in Cold Brook, having been driven from home by her husband, on a cold winter's night, clad only in her night clothes. She was buried in this cemetery. (No stone.)

(Cold Brook.)

GILBERT.

Mary (Enos), wife of Nathan Gilbert, and daughter of Joseph and Chloe Enos. Died February 3, 1886, age 53 years.

(Thorn Hill.)

GILLETT.

In memory of Norman L., son of Ambrose S. and Charity (Lewis) Gillett. Died October 16, 1828, age 8 years, 7 months, 5 days.

"Ye weeping friends your tears refrain,
This blooming youth shall bloom again."

(He was accidentally killed by the cut of a scythe in the thigh. His mother, Charity Lewis, was a daughter of Joseph and Mary (Stanton) Lewis. Mr. and Mrs. Gillett left Spafford and went West.)

(Lewis Yard.)

GREEN.

Mariam Green. Died October 20, 1866, age 98 years, 8 months, 13 days.

"Asleep in Jesus."

(She was the mother of Mrs. Thurston Carr and Mrs. Hiram Mason, who were sisters.)

(Spafford.)

Eber, son of Christopher and Elizabeth S. (Newman) Green. Died July 5, 1834, age 7 years, 3 months, 3 days.

(Christopher Green, son of John and Mary (Hill) Green, married Elizabeth Newman and lived in Spafford on Lot 1, Tully. He came to this town from Otisco, and purchased Sub-division 5 (S. W. corner), containing 132 acres on said lot, of Joel Palmer, who held the same under contract, dated February 11, 1807. Mr. Green took a deed February 23,

1818. From this town he moved to Warren County, Pa., where he died in 1867. He was born in Hoosick, Rensselaer County, N. Y., 1794, and by his wife Elizabeth Newman had: Harriet, Sally, Morrell, Lyman and Eber, who died young.

John Green, the father of Christopher, in the United States Census for the year 1840, was returned as a Revolutionary soldier, residing in Spafford, aged 79 years, and in the Green genealogy is claimed to be descended from John Green of North Kingston, R. I., as follows: John (———), John, Benjamin, John. He was born in Rhode Island 1760-1, married Mary Hill, and resided first in Hoosick, Rensselaer County, N. Y., and from there came to Spafford, where he died after 1840. His children were: Christopher, born 1794, died 1867, in Warren County, Pa., married Elizabeth Newman; Henry, born April 16, 1796, died in Spafford, April 6, 1879, age 83 years, married Anna Maria Coon in Marcellus April 7, 1831, she was born in Marcellus October 10, 1813, and died in Spafford in 1874; Joel, born August 4, 1799, married Nancy Frink, daughter of George and Nancy (Burdick) Frink, August 24, 1826. He was a Seventh Day Baptist Preacher, he had three children, of whom Albert C. only survives, he married Caroline F. Meyer and resides in Mosiertown, Pa.; John, married Lucy Stoddard, and resided in Spafford. He is now deceased and his wife has since married twice and resides in Georgetown, N. Y. He had three children: Henry A., Philo, and Hannah; Amon, died in 1868, married Eunice Belknap, and lived at Eagle, Warren County, Pa.; Esther, married Samuel W. B. Sanford, and lived at Sanford, Pa.; Mary, married Seneca Stevens and lived in Michigan; and Electa, married Horton Applebee.

Henry Green, second son of John and Mary (Hill) Green, born in Hoosick, N. Y., by his wife, Anna Maria Coon, had the following children:, born in Spafford: Albert, born August 11, 1832, died in Skaneateles and buried in Spafford, married Melissa Wheeler in Scott, N. Y., December 3, 1852; Alexander, born December 15, 1833, married in Scott, Matilda Rounds, daughter of Russel and Lydia (Harrington), Rounds, blacksmith, resided in Spafford (dead); George W. M., born April 17, 1835, married Persis Hazzard at Great Bend, Pa., resides in Pennsylvania; Mary A., born

June 12, 1836, died in Otisco, January 20, 1861, married Erastus Griffin in Auburn, N. Y., November, 1855; Henry M., born July 6, 1839, married June 2, 1864, in Preble, N. Y., Phidelia Riggals, resides in Spafford; Lucy M., born September 7, 1840, married (1) in Auburn, May 24, 1869, George Hinds, (2) Charles H. Sweet, resides in Carthage, Mo.; Martha L., born April 3, 1842; Rhoda A., born November 30, 1844, unmarried, resides in Brooklyn, N. Y.; Benjamin S. born March 5, 1846, died March 22, 1847; Caroline, born April 18, 1847, married in Syracuse, N. Y., October 20, 1869, Devillo Norton, son of Seymour and Sally (Lyman) Norton, resides in Spafford; Frances, born January 12, 1849, married George Springer, resides in Brooklyn, N. Y.; Orlando M., born January 18, 1851, died May 16, 1874, in Spafford; and Helen, born June 18, 1853, married William Dennis, resides in Auburn, N. Y. Henry Green and his wife are supposed to have been buried in Spafford Cemetery. (No stone.)

(Stanton Yard.)

Albert Green, (son of Henry and Anna Maria (Coon) Green). Died March 28, 1878, age 45 years, 7 months.

“There is rest in Heaven.”

(He married in Scott, N. Y., December 3, 1852, Melissa Wheeler.)

(Spafford.)

Orlando M. Green, (son of Henry and Anna Maria (Coon) Green). Died May 16, 1874, age 23 years, 4 months, 5 days.

“Around my bed stood those that wept,
And sighed to part with one so dear,
But he in Jesus gently sleeps
Without a groan, without a fear.”

(Spafford.)

GOLDEN.

William, son of J ——— and Lucy C. Golden. Died June 18, 1837, age 1 year, 10 months.

(Spafford.)

Abigail (Gale), wife of William Golden. Died February 12, 1840, age 33 years, 5 months, 4 days.

(Borodino.)

Albert, son of William and Abigail Golden. Died March 30, 1835, age 10 years, 9 months, 15 days.

(Borodino.)

GOODRICH.

Jane R., daughter of Richard C. and Christie Ann (Robertson), Goodrich. Died November 2, 1843, age 6 years, 7 months, 11 days.

(Richard C. Goodrich, married Christie Ann Robertson, daughter of James and Isabel (Eadie) Robertson. After the decease of Richard C. Goodrich, his wife married Daniel Lyon of Otisco, N. Y., as his second wife. Mr. Lyon and his wife Christie are both now deceased, and buried in Otisco.)

(Spafford.)

GOODWIN.

Louis Goodwin. Died June 16, 1856, age 42 years.

(He came to Cold Brook from Columbia County, N. Y., but was born in Germany. He married Julania Smith, daughter of Lemuel D. and Polly (Seeley) Smith, and granddaughter of Samuel G. and Ada (Fowler) Seeley.)

(Cold Brook.)

GORDON.

Alexander Gordon. Died October 3, 1885, age 63 years.

(He married Matilda Wallace, a sister of John Wallace; they were all born in Ireland. In his will dated June 6, 1885, and probated November 18, 1885, he mentions his wife Matilda Gordon, and the following children: Eliza J., married Lyman C. Bennett, son of Stephen and Waity (Hill) Bennett; William J., married Ella Mason, daughter of Elbridge Mason; Wallace, (dead), married Helen Norton, daughter of Erastus and Mary (Isdell) Norton; Carson; and Emmett Gordon, married Florence Patten, daughter of George A. Patten, resides in Borodino, N. Y.

(Borodino.)

Matilda Wallace, wife of Alexander Gordon.

(She was living in 1898 with her daughter, Mrs. Bennett, in Spafford. Died in 1900.)

(Borodino.)

GROVE.

Reuben Grove. Died January 28, 1860, age 25 years, 1 month, 24 days.

(Borodino.)

GREGORY.

John T. Gregory. Born at Ashton, Somerset, England. Died at Skaneateles April 4, 1882, age 82 years.

“My dust returns to dust, all for the best,

My soul will go to God and be at rest.”

(He married Maria Caruthers, widow of Thomas Caruthers.)

(Thorn Hill.)

Maria, wife of John T. Gregory, and former wife of Thomas Caruthers. Died February 17, 1885, age 84 years.

(Thorn Hill.)

GRIFFIN.

Infant son of Erastus and Lilly (Craig) Griffin. Died January 1, 1889, age 11 weeks.

(Erastus Griffin married Lilly Craig, daughter of William H. and Phebe A. (Brown) (Craig).)

(Cold Brook.)

GRINNELL.

Isaiah Grinnel. Died January 19, 1861, age 88 years.

(He resided on Lot 13, Sempronius, where he settled before 1824. He married Jane Crane, probably a sister of Stephen Crane, and by her had: John, married and lived in Orleans County, N. Y.; Eliza, also married and lived in Orleans County, N. Y.; Seymour, married Elizabeth Babcock, daughter of John and Betsey (Bulfinch) Babcock; Ansel, married (1) Asenath Bennett, and (2) Emeline A. Kinyon, widow of Joseph Monk; ———, married John Gale, Jr., son of John and Martha Gale; and ———, married Jane (widow), died March 24, 1866, age 89 years.

(Borodino.)

Jane (Crane), wife of Isaiah Grinnell. Died May 24, 1866, age 89 years.

(Borodino.)

Seymour Grinnell, son of Isaiah and Jane (Crane) Grinnell. Died November 24, 1887, age 74 years. (No stone.)

(By his wife, Elizabeth Babcock, he had three children.)
(Borodino.)

Elizabeth (Babcock), wife of Seymour Grinnell. Died at Scott, N. Y., September 28, 1891, age 77 years.

(Borodino.)

Ansel Grinnell, son of Isaiah and Jane (Crane) Grinnell. Died January 25, 1889, age 72 years. (No stone.)

(He married (1) Asenath Bennett, of Spafford Hollow, and (2) Emeline A. Kinyon, widow of Joseph Monk. In the application for Letters of Administration upon his estate, made by his widow, Emeline A. Grinnell, dated November 12, 1889, she mentions the following children: George Riley, married Lucinda ———, she died at Scott, N. Y., June 6, 1886, buried in Borodino Cemetery (no stone), he resides in Scott, N. Y.; Eliza Ann, married Adelbert C. Stanton, resides in Spafford, N. Y.; and Mary L., married George Emmons, resides in LaFayette, N. Y.)

(Borodino.)

Asenath (Bennett), wife of Ansel Grinnell. Died October 10, 1862, age 44 years, 10 months, 22 days.

(Borodino.)

Mary Jane, daughter of Ansel and Asenath (Bennett). Died November 9, 1857, age 1 year, 1 month.

(Borodino.)

GROUT.

Abigail Hudson was born October 15, 1753. Was married to John Grout, October 15, 1770. Was married to William Clark, October 4, 1780. Died December 17, at 4 o'clock A. M., 1820. Age 67 years, 2 months, 2 days.

"God my redeemer lives and often from the skies
Looks down and watches all my dust 'till he shall bid it rise."
(Spafford.)

Adeline M., daughter of John and Elizabeth (Clark) Grout. Died September 17, 1836, age 19 years, 2 months, 12 days.

(John Grout born June 14, 1776, came to Spafford before 1819, and settled on Lot 21, Tully; by his wife, Elizabeth

Clark, born May 27, 1781, he had the following children: Joel H., born October 29, 1808, married Lucretia Roundy, daughter of Daniel and Laura (Hoyt) Roundy; Sylvanus N., born September 28, 1806, married (1) Julania Stanton, daughter of Benjamin and Amy (Perkins) Stanton, and (2) Elizabeth Brown of Scott, N. Y., sister of his brother John's wife; John, born October 13, 1831, married Sarah M. Brown, born August 14, 1831, of Scott, N. Y., they are both deceased. (In the petition for Letters of Administration upon his estate, dated June 12, 1891, the following children are mentioned: Helen, married Martin J. Boutell, son of Samuel and Catherine (Williamson) Boutell, resides in Syracuse, N. Y., Lyra E. Russell, of Rock Rapids, Iowa, John J. Grout, of Roch Rapids, Iowa, and Ernest Eugene Grout); Caroline E., born February 12, 1814, married Thomas B. Anderson; and Adeline M., born July 5, 1817, died Sept. 17, 1836.)

(Spafford.)

Joel H. Grout, (son of John and Elizabeth (Clark) Grout.) Died February 16, 1858, age 49 years, 3 months, 18 days.

(By his wife, Lucretia Roundy, he had two daughters: Adeline and Laura, both married and residing in Illinois. His wife also moved to Evanston, Illinois, after his decease, and died there in 1895.)

(Spafford.)

Julania (Stanton), wife of Sylvanus N. Grout. Died March 9, 1849, age 34 years, 8 months.

(Spafford.)

Celia, daughter of Sylvanus N., and Julania (Stanton) Grout. Died October 3, 1844, age 2 years, 8 months, 15 days.

(Spafford.)

Helen M., daughter of Sylvanus N. and Julania (Stanton) Grout. Died June 15, 1836, age 8 months, 1 day.

(Spafford.)

Edwin, son of Sylvanus N. and Julania (Stanton) Grout. Died March 1, 1844, age 3 days.

(Spafford.)

James, son of Eebnezer and Polly (Perkins) Grout.
Died January 4, 1823, agè 3 years, 2 months.

“Let parents warning take
And not of a child an idol make.”

(Ebenezer Grout was a brother of John Grout, who married Elizabeth Clark.)

(Spafford.)

GUTSELL.

Charles M., died September 11, 1861, age 2 years, 10 months, 17 days.

Milo J., died September 10, 1861, age 1 year, 3 months, 10 days.

Children of James and Maria (Jacobs) Gutsell.

“Our Little Ones.”

“Lovely and pleasant in their lives;
And in their death they were not divided.”

(James Gutsell was a minister; he married Maria Jacobs, daughter of Elias and Betsey G. Jacobs.)

(Spafford.)

HALL.

Hannah (Wilcox), wife of Simeon Hall. Died July 20, 1838, age 52 years.)

(Simeon Hall's wife was a sister of Mrs. Rathbone Barber. Mr. Hall lived on the lower lake road, on Lot 31, Sempronius, just north of Rathbone Barber. He was not related, so far as known, to the Samuel Hall family living east of him. Among his children were: Alzina, married Darius Plumer; and Sophia, married Solomon Burdick.)

(Spafford.)

Asa Hall, (son of Samuel and Elizabeth (Macumber) Hall.) Died February 11, 1882, age 70 years, 14 days.

(Samuel and Elizabeth (Macumber) Hall were Rhode Island Quakers, and came to Sempronius from Mayfield, N. Y., where their son, Asa, was born, in 1818. Rufus Hall, the father of Samuel, probably was born of Samuel and Dinah Hall, in Exeter, R. I., June 8, 1744. He married Anna Hoxsie. His son Samuel, born May 10, 1772, and died January 24, 1846, married February 23, 1797, Elizabeth Macumber, born February 17, 1772, died September

13, 1853, and by her had the following children: Anna, born December 29, 1797, died April 28, 1818; David, born April 7, 1799, died December 12, 1829, married Juliette Knight, September 29, 1824; Silas, born October 4, 1800 died August 22, 1804; Mercy, born June 22, 1802, died unmarried November 2, 1871, buried Spafford Cemetery; Lydia, born January 25, 1804, died September 25, 1875, married John Richardson September 28, 1828; Hannah, born November 27, 1805, died January 2, 1875, married Reuben S. Palmer, November 29, 1834; Rufus, born January 10, 1808, died June 1, 18—, married Clarissa Belknap, January 6, 1833; Daniel, born October 2, 1809, died June 20, 1811; Asa, born January 28, 1812, died February 11, 1882, married Laura Ann Babcock, November 16, 1834, and Elihu, born January 30, 1814, died February 12, 1814.

Asa Hall, son of Samuel and Elizabeth (Macumber) Hall, married Laura Ann Babcock, daughter of John, Jr. and Nancy (Stoddard) Babcock, and by her had: Philetus, of Sempronius, N. Y.; Arthur F., married Clarissa A. Ripley, daughter of John L. and Clarissa (Loss) Ripley, October 6, 1869, resides in Spafford, N. Y.; N. Elizabeth, married Jonathan D. Ripley, son of John L. and Clarissa (Loss) Ripley, she died November 13, 1866, and left two children: Arthur, and Lillian; and Julius J., died November 17, 1845. Asa Hall was a miller by occupation, and attended the Baptist Church at Thorn Hill, where his wife was a member.)

(Spafford.)

Laura Ann Babcock, wife of Asa Hall. Died September 30, 1845, age 27 years, 7 months, 3 days.

(Spafford.)

Julius J., son of Asa and Laura Ann (Babcock) Hall. Died November 17, 1845, age 2 years, 5 months, 27 days.

(Spafford.)

Mercy Hall, (daughter of Samuel and Elizabeth (Macumber) Hall. Died November 7, 1871, age 69 years, 4 months, 10 days.

“Asleep in Jesus.”

(Spafford.)

James T., son of Nicholas and Lydia Hall. Died January 31, 1832, age 3 years, 13 days.

“ Adieu my sweet and precious babe,
 I give thee back to God.
 With flowers I'll deck thy early grave.”

(Spafford.)

HAIGHT.

Rhoda F., daughter of Mott and Mary Haight. Died March 17, 1840, age 5 months.

(Mott Haight was a teacher. He had a brother, William Haight, who died in Skaneateles, N. Y., about 1884, and on account of the death of his only child, Arthur Haight, prior to his decease, it was necessary in probating his will, in 1884, to cite all his collateral kinsmen, who were at that time as follows: (1) Children of his deceased brother, James Haight: John Haight of Johnstown, Rock County, Wis.; Lindley D. Haight, of Clear Lake, Cerro Gordo Co., Iowa; (2) children of his deceased brother, Mott Haight: Arthur M. Haight, of Parma, Jackson Co., Michigan; (3) children of his deceased brother, Titus Haight: Hannah Wanzer, of Austin, Cook County, Ill.; Sarah W. Cornell, of Appleton, Outagamie County, Wis.; Mary J. Haight, of Mandana, Onondaga County, N. Y.; Catherine J. Irish, of Mandana, Onondaga County, N. Y.; Henry J. Haight, married Eudora Colton, daughter of Alanson and Charity (Ide) Colton, resides in Borodina, N. Y.; and Francis E. and Egbert Cornell, children of Elizabeth S., deceased daughter of Titus Haight, who married Francis E. Cornell, her children then resided with their father at Verbank, Dutchess County, N. Y.; (4) Children of his deceased brother, John S. Haight: Charles H. Haight, of Sycamore, DeKalb Co., Ill.; Edgar Haight, of Sycamore, DeKalb County, Ill.; Charlotte M. Bockes, wife of Dennis Bockes of Skaneateles, N. Y.; (5) Children of his deceased brother, Zebulon Haight: Anna Haight, of Salina, Salina County, Kansas; Lewis Haight, of Pawnee Rock, Barton County, Kansas; Amy Arnold, of Stanfordville, Dutchess County, N. Y.; Maria Duell, of Stanfordville, Dutchess County, N. Y.; Phoebe Jane Griffin, of Clinton Corners, Dutchess County, N. Y.; Esther Alley, of La Grangerville, Dutchess County, N. Y.; Charlotte A. Underhill, of Croton Landing, Westchester County, N. Y. (6) Children of his deceased sister, Anna M. Sutton: Silas H. Sutton, of Breckenridge, Summit

County, Colorado; George H. Sutton, of Maple City, Cawley County, Kansas; Melissa Sutton, of Coffin's Summit, Dutchess County, N. Y.; Sarah E. Gardner, of West 45th Street, New York City. (7) Children of his deceased brother, Enoch Haight: Charles B. Haight, of Owosso, Shiawassee County, Mich.; and Charles Kipp, Alice I. Fenton, both of Chicago, Illinois, and Charles W. Kipp, of Clay Center, Clay County, Kansas, children of Mary Kipp, deceased daughter of Enoch Haight, deceased.)

(Borodino.)

Ernest C. Haight, (son of Henry I. and Eudora (Colton) Haight). Died January 15, 1887, age 11 years.

(Henry I. Haight was a son of Titus Haight; his son, Ernest C., was killed by accident.)

(Borodino.)

HAMILTON.

Lydia C., wife of John Hamilton. Died June 28, 1852, in her 53rd year.

(Borodino.)

HARMON.

Joseph Harmon. Died April 23, 1892, age 73 years.

(He came to this town from Sempronius, Cayuga County, N. Y., and married (1) Mary Jane Williamson, daughter of Cornelius and Eliza (Ostrander) Williamson, and (2) Mary Jane Raymond, daughter of Nathan and Maria (Williamson) Raymond, and niece of his first wife. He left no issue surviving him, his only child, by his first wife, Jennie, died in 1865. His will, dated December 25, 1883, and probated July 13, 1892, and the petition for its probate mentions his wife, Mary Jane Harmon, no children, but the following next of kin: Elizabeth Burdick (sister), of Homer, N. Y.; Orrin S. Harmon, (brother), of Forrestville, Chautauqua County, N. Y.; Lorinda Case (sister), of Sempronius, Cayuga County, N. Y.; Edwin L. Harmon (brother), of Moravia, Cayuga County, N. Y.; Mary Van Schoick (sister) of Greenwood, Steuben County, N. Y.; Maria Graham and William B. Harmon, (daughter and son of Alexander Harmon, deceased brother), both of Sempronius, Cayuga County, N. Y.; Morris G. Craft, (son of Almira Craft,

deceased sister), of Homer, N. Y., and Frank Harmon, (son of Franklin Harmon, deceased brother), of Buffalo, N. Y. At the time of his decease Mr. Harmon resided on Lot 31, Tully, on the Skaneateles and Homer road, just south of Spafford Corners—Russel M. Burdick farm.)

(Spafford.)

Mary Jane (Williamson), wife of Joseph Harmon. Died February 17, 1879, age 53 years.

(Spafford.)

Mary Jane (Raymond), wife of Joseph Harmon.

(Living in 1898.)

(Spafford.)

Our Jennie, only child of Joseph and Mary Jane (Williamson) Harmon. Died March 16, 1865, age 9 years, 6 months.

“Of such is the kingdom of Heaven.”

(Spafford.)

HARRINGTON.

John Harrington. Died September 15, 1869, age 76 years, 7 months, 4 days.

(John Harrington came to this town from Foster, R. I., (where he was born), with his wife Catherine, and settled east of Skaneateles Lake, on Lot 41, Tully. His children by his wife Catherine were: Catherine, married her cousin, Whipple Harrington, who died in Homer, N. Y.; Jenks, married Lydia Johnson, he died near Oneida Lake; Lydia, married Russel Rounds, he is dead and she is living in 1898, with her son-in-law, John Odell, in Spafford, N. Y.; Cary, married widow Martha Barker, both dead, reputed son, Marion Harrington, inherited his estate; Sally, married Hiram Coon, moved to Michigan; Paulina, married Simeon Morris, son of Samuel and Jane Springer Morris; Polly, married Simeon Morris, son of Samuel and Jane Springer Morris, as his second wife; a son, drowned in Skaneateles Lake; and Phebe, married Truman Worden, both dead, and buried in this cemetery.)

(Spafford.)

Catherine, wife of John Harrington. Died September 23, 1867, age 78 years, 8 months, 28 days.

“Gone but not forgotten.”

(Spafford.)

Cary Harrington, (son of John and Catherine Harrington). Died October 23, 1884, age 64 years, 1 month, 2 days.

(His wife, Martha Barker, was buried at Watkins, N. Y.)
(Spafford.)

Stanley D. Harrington, (son of Alfred G. and Vestelina E. (Woodworth) Harrington). Born November 23, 1869, died November 25, 1892.

“ A model Christian son, brother and friend,
Industrious, economical, charitable and affectionate,
Courageous in doing right, intelligence lighted his
Path to duty, which he saw in serving God and Humanity.
He has gone to his Saviour in whom he trusted,
And left none but pleasant memories of
His earthly probation. Requiem in pace,
O! optome filie.”

(Jenks Harrington, (son of John and Catherine Harrington), by his wife Lydia Johnson, had the following children: Alfred G., married Vestelina E. Woodworth, daughter of Joel C. and Sarah (Eadie) Woodworth; Clarissa, married Alfred Hitchcock, dead; Sidney, married Phebe Clark, daughter of Thomas Clark, he died in Cortland, N. Y.; Rensselaer, died unmarried; Oscar, married in Canastota, N. Y.; Almira, married Mr. Hopkins, her husband is dead and she resides in Cortland, N. Y.; Norman Manuel, name of wife unknown; Emily, married Samuel Morris, son of Simeon Morris, resides in Homer, N. Y.

Prof. Alfred G. Harrington, (son of Jenks and Lydia (Johnson) Harrington), by his wife Vestelina E. Woodworth, had the following children: Lettie, married Amos Maxson as his second wife, resides in Scott, N. Y.; Howard, resides in Spafford, unmarried; Marius, married Orra Maxson, daughter of Amos and Lodema (Barber) Maxson; Lilly, resides in Spafford, unmarried; Irving, married Lina Cleveland, daughter of John and Caroline (Doty) Cleveland, resides in Spafford, N. Y.; Stanley D., died in 1892; William, resides in Spafford, unmarried; Harrold, resides in Spafford, unmarried; Howard, died in 1868; Adelbert, resides in Spafford, unmarried; Alice, married George Brown, of Cortland, N. Y.; and Adelle, resides in Cortland, unmarried. Professor Harrington was a man of fine education, and for many years a successful teacher in the

schools of this State. For a few years last past, he has been living on a farm in this town, supplementing his labors on the farm with literary work, for which he has a strong predilection. The Professor has been honored with the degree of Master of Arts.)

(Spafford.)

A John Harrington, (not related to above family) at an early date resided on the Col. Jenney Farm (1899) Lot 32, Sempronius, he moved to Michigan; wife, Julia M.

Howard Harrington, (son of Alfred G. and Vestelina E. (Woodworth) Harrington). Born February 15, 1859, died February 23, 1868.

(Spafford.)

Horatio, son of Almer S. and Arminda Harrington. A member of Company "D," 122d Regt., N. Y. V. Killed in Battle of Cedar Creek, Va., October 19, 1864, age 22 years.

"My Country called me."

(Almer S. Harrington and his wife, Arminda, came to this town from Brookfield, Madison County, N. Y., about 1850, and settled on Lots 11 and 12, Sempronius; he afterwards resided on Lot 76, Marcellus, north of Borodino.)

(Borodino.)

HARRIS.

William Harris. Died May 17, 1842, age 54 years, 2 months, 25 days.

(He married Nancy Davis, daughter of Elias and Free-love Davis, and by her had: Julania, married Rathbone Barber, Jr., son of Rathbone and Robe (Wilcox) Barber, dead; Phebe D., married John C. Tinkham, son of Russel and Mary (Cook) Tinkham, dead; Jane, married her brother-in-law, John C. Tinkham, as his second wife, dead; and Mary, married Fred Hoover of Auburn, N. Y.)

(Davis Yard.)

Mary Florence, daughter of Rev. I. and Mary H. Harris. Died November 6, 1861, age 2 years, 10 months.

"Gone to live with Jesus."

"She sang sweetly here, she sings sweetly in Heaven."

(The Rev. Mr. Harris came to this town from Munroe County, N. Y., and after a short stay, moved away.)

(Borodino.)

HARVEY.

Medad Harvey. Born June 3, 1771, died December 16, 1845.

(Medad Harvey come to this town from Fort Ann, Vt., about 1800, and settled on Lot 76, Marcellus, where he remained until the time of his decease. His wife was Anar Buell, by whom he had the following children: Paul, married Sally Hiscock, daughter of James and Elizabeth Hiscock, he died at Thorn Hill, N. Y.; Lucinda, married Cyrus Smith, son of Job and Elizabeth (Keeler) Smith, she died in Chautauqua County, N. Y.; Samuel, married Mary Reed, he died in Cattaraugus County, N. Y.; Sally, married Ensign Austin, she died in Skaneateles, N. Y.; Harriet, married Sedgwick Austin, she died in Sennett, Cayuga County, N. Y.; John, married Theda Reed, he died in Cattaraugus County, N. Y.; Rhoda, married Jared Smith, she died in Skaneateles, N. Y.; Electa, married Henry Vary (brother of Charles), she died in Skaneateles, N. Y.; Leonard, married (1) Jane A. Rathbone, daughter of James and Margaret (Ashley) Rathbone, and (2) ————, he died in Illinois; Isabel, unmarried, (1898), living in Chicago, Ill.; Dorwin, married Jane Anthony, daughter of Isaac and Pamela (Phelps) Anthony, he died in Chicago, Ill.; and Medad, married Ann Van Atten, died in Illinois.)

(Thorn Hill.)

Anar (Buell) Harvey, (wife of Medad Harvey). Born June 24, 1775, died September 8, 1858.

(Thorn Hill.)

Paul Harvey, (son of Medad and Anar (Buell) Harvey). Died August 22, 1852, age 53 years.

(Paul Harvey was born at Fort Ann, Vt., and came to this town, (Marcellus end), with his parents. He married Sally Hiscock, daughter of James and Elizabeth Hiscock, and by her had the following children: Anna, married Seeley Strong, she died in Ellery, Chautauqua County, N. Y.; Adeline, she died unmarried at Thorn Hill, N. Y.; Alfred, married Elsinia Patterson, daughter of Volney and Susanna (Green) Patterson, he resides Ellery, Chautauqua County, N. Y.; Eleanor, married Nelson Hillebert, son of John C. and Elizabeth (Berry) Hillebert, (1898) residing in Sociality, Cattaraugus County, N. Y.; Job, married Chloe Ann Mason, daughter of Asa and Anna (Shelden) Mason,

December 27, 1849, he died at Borodino, N. Y., March 25, 1900, burial in Borodino Cemetery; Mark, married (1) Henrietta Colton, daughter of Alanson and Charity (Ide) Colton, and (2) Mary A. Unckless, daughter of John and Mary A. (Snook) Unckless, (he has a son, Frank Harvey, residing at Thorn Hill), he resides at Borodino, N. Y.; Harriet E., married Darius S. Mason, December 26, 1849, son of Asa and Anna (Shelden) Mason, she is now deceased; and Mary, married Samuel Ackles, resides at Thorn Hill, N. Y.)
(Thorn Hill.)

Sally (Hiscock), wife of Paul Harvey. Died August 3, 1879, age 83 years.

(She was born in the town of Augusta, Madison County, N. Y., and came to this town with her parents, James and Elizabeth Hiscock, from her native place, about 1812, and resided with them, (until her marriage), on Lot 69, Mra-cellus. She was married to Mr. Harvey in this town. It is claimed that her father was a Soldier of the Revolution.)
(Thorn Hill.)

Adaline Harvey, (daughter of Paul and Sally (Hiscock) Harvey. Died April 4, 1895, age 79 years.

(She died unmarried. In her will, dated May 11, 1893, probated June 11, 1895, she mentions: Frank Harvey, son of her brother, Mark Harvey; and W. Harry Ackles, and Grace Mills, wife of Frank B. Mills, children of her sister, Mary Ackles, wife of Samuel Ackles, all residing at Thorn Hill, N. Y. In the petition for probate, the following brothers and sisters were mentioned as heirs at law and next of kin: Job Harvey, Mark Harvey and Mary Ackles, of Spafford, N. Y., Anna Strong of Jamestown, N. Y.; Alfred Harvey of St. Clairville, Chautauqua County, N. Y., and Eleanor Hillebert of Dayton, Cattaraugus County, N. Y.)
(Thorn Hill.)

Jane A. (Rathbone) Harvey, consort of Leonard Harvey. Died October 16, 1833, age 24 years.

(Leonard Harvey, son of Medad and Anar (Buell) Harvey, married a second wife in Illinois.)
(Thorn Hill.)

Mark Harvey, (son of Paul and Sally (Hiscock) Harvey). Born August 6, 1832, (living in Borodino in 1899.)
(Borodino.)

Henrietta Colton, wife of Mark Harvey. Born November 30, 1836, died June 15, 1888.

(Borodino.)

Mary Ann Unckless, second wife of Mark Harvey. Born July 31, 1841. (She was living in 1899.)

(Borodino.)

Paul A. Harvey, (son of Mark and Henrietta (Colton) Harvey). Born June 11, 1871, died March 21, 1891.

"Trusting that all be well."

(Borodino.)

Harry J. Harvey, (son of Mark and Henrietta (Colton) Harvey). Born December 22, 1869, died March 15, 1891.

"To die is gain."

(Borodino.)

Jessie, daughter of Frank and Josie A. ——— Harvey. Died January 6, 1887, age 2 years, 11 months, 15 days.

(Frank Harvey, son of Mark and Henrietta (Colton) Harvey, married Josie A.

(Borodino.)

HAY.

Bethany Hay, (daughter of Henry and Bathsheba (Satterly) Hay. Who departed this life March 15, 1832, in her 12th year.

"God calls and I must go

And leave all fleeting earthly things below."

(Henry Hay lived on the Samuel Gale place, on the Skanateles and Homer road, next to the county line on lot 42, Tully. He moved from Spafford in the Spring of 1835.)

(Spafford.)

HAYES.

Maria S., daughter of Erastus and Irena Hayes. Died May 13, 1829, age 20 years, 7 months, 9 days.

"She is forever gone from things below,

Gone from a world where sorrow grows,

Gone to a world of joy and rest,

To dwell forever with the happy blest."

(Thorn Hill.)

Hosea Horace Briggs, son of Erastus and Irena Hayes. Died September 3, 1828, age 15 years, 5 months, 11 days.

(He was accidentally killed. Erastus Hayes first settled on the east part of lot 89, Marcellus, April 11, 1825, moved from there to lot 22, Tully, February 12, 1835, and from thence went West about 1850, with his only surviving child and son, Hiram W. Hayes. Erastus Hayes originally came from Otsego County, N. Y., and settled on Lot 50, Homer, N. Y., in 1807, and from there to the Marcellus end of this town, as above stated, in 1825.

Hiram W. Hayes, son of Erastus and Irena Hayes, married Almeda Tinkham, daughter of Daniel and Adah (Windsor) Tinkham, and by her had: Cynthia Maria, married Orphaniel Bessey, she died in Spafford, leaving no issue; Briggs, married Mary McCormack, he died in Michigan; Candace, married Dana Root, husband dead, and she now residing in Quincy, Mich. (four children); Calvin, married (1) Calista Ripley, daughter of John L. and Clarissa (Loss) Ripley, and (2) out West, he is now (1899) residing in Pomona, California; Olive, died unmarried in Spafford, N. Y., and Arzena, married a Mr. Slocum, and died in Michigan. Hiram W. Hayes was in 1898 residing with his son Calvin, in Pomona, California.)

(Thorn Hill.)

HAYFORD.

Mercy, wife of John Hayford. Died January 10, 1849, in her 82nd year.

(Borodino.)

Benjamin Hayford. Born in 1812, died in 1887.

(He married (1) Elizabeth French, daughter of Titus and Elizabeth French, (2) Mercy French, sister of his first wife, and (3) Lottie M. Baker. In the application for Letters of Administration by Orrin I. Hayford, his son, of Borodino, N. Y., filed March 31, 1887, mention is made of Lottie (Loretta) M. Hayford, his widow (since deceased), and of the following children: Orrin I. Hayford, of Borodino, N. Y.; Annette L. Harrington, of Berren Springs, Mich.; William Francis Hayford, of Cedar Rapids, Iowa; Eliza J. Quick, wife of Charles B. Quick, of Borodino, N. Y.; and Cyrus Duane Hayford, born October 18, 1840, (by second wife), married Mary Schoonmaker, daughter of Moses and Sarah (Barker) Schoonmaker, resides in Tully,

N. Y. Cyrus D. Hayford had two children: Blanche and Alice M. Hayford. Blanche is now deceased.)

(Borodino.)

Elizabeth (French), wife of Benjamin Hayford. Born in 1812, died in 1846.

(Borodino.)

Mercy (French), wife of Benjamin Hayford. Born in 1822, died in 1858.

(Borodino.)

Lottie M. (Baker), wife of Benjamin Hayford. Died August 5, 1895, age 66 years.

(Borodino.)

William Hayford. Died at Borodino.

(He married Asenath French.)

(Borodino.)

HAVENS.

(Borodino.)

Ebenezer Havens, son of Daniel W. and Abigail (Burling) Havens. Born March 23, 1803, died January 18, 1875.

Daniel W. Havens was born in Washington County, R. I., about March 20, 1762, and settled in Scott Hollow, at the head of Skaneateles Lake. He was a shoemaker by occupation; a member of the Seventh Day Baptist Church, and was buried in the Seventh Day Baptist Cemetery at Scott, Cortland Co., N. Y. His wife, Abigail Burling, of German extraction, survived him about three years, and then died and was buried at the same place. Their children were: Abbie, married Joseph Cummings of Cortland County, N. Y.; Whitman, enlisted in the War of 1812, nothing more of him; Clark B., married Robey Barber, daughter of Rathbone and Robe (Wilcox) Barber, both dead; Ebenezer, married Laura Pettis, daughter of Joseph Pettis; and Daniel, he also enlisted in the War of 1812, and never returned.

Clark B. Havens, son of Daniel and Abigail (Burling) Havens, by his wife, Robey Barber, had the following children, all born in Spafford: Adelia, married Dr. Charles Merrell, formerly of Skaneateles, N. Y., now deceased; Hezekiah, married Daintha Oland, of Skaneateles, N. Y.; he was killed by a falling limb of a tree; Sally, married Stephen Randall, son of Stephen and Ruth Randall, she died and Randall married for a second wife Diantha Oland,

widow of Hezekiah Havens. Randall was finally drowned in Skaneateles Lake; Christina, married Jessey Pullman, son of John and Mabel (Pettis) Pullman; Annette, married _____, now deceased; twin of Annette, died young; and Elizabeth ("Betsey"), married Gordon Mason and moved to Illinois. Clark B. Havens married a second wife in Illinois, where he resided for a time before his decease, but by her had no issue.

Ebenezer Havens, son of Daniel and Abigail (Burling) Havens, married Laura Pettis, March 9, 1825, on Randall's Point, on Skaneateles Lake, in the town of Spafford N. Y. By her he had the following children, all born in this town: Mary Jane, born July 29, 1827, married (1) James Applebee, and (2) William Bulfinch Allen, son of Sumner and Mary (Sherman) Allen, resides in Spafford, has one son by Allen: William B., Jr., married Mrs. Ann Thompson; Joseph, and Daniel, twins, born December 4, 1829, died young; Dwight, born July 13, 1830, married (1) Henrietta Ball, (2) Mary Willett, he starved to death in Danville Rebel Prison, N. C., in the War of 1861; Abigail E., born May 27, 1832, married (1) Washington Morris, son of Samuel and Jane (Springer) Morris, dead, and (2) Samuel Allen; Nancy Maria, born March 11, 1837, married (1) Andrew Newman, and (2) John Jacob Volkart; Matilda A., born December 25, 1838, married (1) Nathan Bond, and (2) Harvey Randall, son of Stephen and Ruth Randall, she resides in Wisconsin; Laurretta E., born May 23, 1840, married Ichabod J. Wallace, son of William and Pamela (Eddy) Wallace, her husband is dead, and she resides at Glen Haven, N. Y., had one son Morgan, married widow Flora B. Wallace, and died June 9, 1891; Cornelia, born December 15, 1841, died young; and Ebenezer, born May 19, 1843, married Myra Bradford, March 17, 1879, resides at Glen Haven N. Y.) (No stone.)

(Spafford.)

Laura Pettis, wife of Ebenezer Havens. Born May 23, 1805, died March, 1884.

(She was a daughter of Joseph Pettis, and was born in Jefferson County, N. Y. She came to this town when a small child, and resided until her marriage on Randall's Point, on the east side of Skaneateles Lake. She and her husband, Ebenezer Havens, were two honest, upright, pure

minded and good people, and were generally respectd. They were well known to the writer in his boyhood, and he treasures their memory with the warmest affection.) (No stone.)

(Spafford.)

HENRY.

Phebe, wife of Alexander Henry. Died August 9, 1866, age 42 years, 2 months, 26 days.

“Go home, dear friends, and dry your tears,
For I must lie here until Jesus appears.”

(Alexander Henry married for a second wife Harriet Anthony, sister of George H.)

(Cold Brook.)

HIBBARD.

Jane (Brown), wife of James Hibbard, and daughter of Jacob and Deborah (Morris) Brown. Born April 10, 1846, died May 24, 1876.

(Spafford.)

HIGBEY.

Eugene A., son of William A. and Jane Higbey. Died July 23, 1842, age 11 months, 3 days.

(Mr. Higbey also had a son John, and a daughter, Fidelia Higbey.)

(Spafford Hollow.)

HILL.

John C. Hill. Died April 18, 1882, age 47 years.

(He was born in England. He had the following: George, married Nancy Randall, daughter of George Henry and Harriet (Knight) Randall; ——— ———, married Wilson Scribner; ——— ———, married Walter Moxsie, son of Charles Moxsie, and William B. Hill.)

(Spafford Hollow.)

William B. Hill, (son of John C. Hill). Died February 28, 1889.

(Spafford Hollow.)

Mary A., wife of Edward Hill. Died February 15, 1869, age 18 years.

(Spafford Hollow.)

Ella J., daughter of Edward and Caroline Hill. Died May 21, 1881, age 6 years, 2 months.

(Edward Hill was a brother of John C. Hill.)

(Spafford Hollow.)

James Hill, son of Alexander and Ann (Kinyon) Hill. Born June 19, 1828, died in 1892.

(Alexander Hill married Ann Kinyon; they came from Cambridge, Washington County, N. Y., and settled first on the Vincent Farm, in the town of Scott, and afterwards on a farm on the Saneateles and Homer road, just south of the county line, in the town of Scott, Cortland County, N. Y. His wife died in Scott and was buried there; after her death he returned to Cambridge, his native place, where he died and was buried. His children by his wife, Ann Kinyon, were: Patience, died unmarried and was buried in Scott, N. Y.; William, moved to California, where he married and still (1898) resides; Ann, died unmarried and was buried in Scott; James, married Orphana Doty, daughter of Willard and Achsah (Bacon) Doty, no issue; Avaline, married Charles B. Lyon, son of David and Harriet (Arnold) Lyon, husband dead, and she resides in Spafford, no issue. Alexander had a brother, William Hill, who died in this town.)

(Spafford.)

Orphana (Doty), wife of James Hill. Born in Lewis County, March 26, 1834, died May 31, 1898. (No stone.)

(She was descended from Edward Doty, who came from England in the ship, "Mayflower," and settled at Plymouth, Mass., in the year 1620, as follows: Orphana, Willard, Warren, Samuel, Samuel, Samuel, Edward Edward. She left no issue of her marriage with Mr. Hill. In her will, dated May 25, 1878, and probated June 21, 1898, she mentions no husband or children, but the following next of kin: Warren Doty (brother), of Homer, N. Y.; Abigail Eadie (sister), of Spafford, N. Y.; Caroline Cleveland (sister), of Spafford, N. Y.; Bertha Churchill (niece), of Onondaga Valley, N. Y.; Mary Robinson, (niece), of Spafford, N. Y.; Floyd Harrington (grand nephew), of Spafford, N. Y.; Job Harvey (executor but not related), of Spafford, N. Y.; Mary Norton (grand niece), of Homer, N. Y., and Nellie Barber (grand niece), of Scott, N. Y.)

(Spafford.)

William Hill. Died May 3, 1877, age 66 years.

(He was a brother of Alexander Hill, and came from Cambridge, Washington County, N. Y. He married the widow Mary Jane Cotteral, daughter of Michael Vincent of Scott, N. Y. Their children, all born in Spafford, were: Juila A., born June 18, 1847, married Jerome Mason, son of Hiram and Maria (Green) Mason, resides at Thorn Hill, N. Y.; Alice A., born January 19, 1852, married Jay C. Roundy, son of Uriah and Mary Ann (Tinkham) Roundy, she resides at Thorn Hill, N. Y.; and Sarah M., born July 23, 1857, married John Burns, son of Frank and Harriet M. (Streeter) Burns, resides at Borodino, N. Y.)

Mary J. Vincent, died March 24, 1911, age 89.

(Borodino.)

HILLEBERT.

John C. Hillebert. Died February 15, 1844, age 72 years, 1 month, 24 days.

(He married first Elizabeth Berry, sister of Jonathan Berry, and second Anna Phillips, (widow), mother of Mrs. Dr. Isaac Morrell. In his will, dated December 28, 1843, and probated March 25, 1844, and in the petition for probate, mention is made of his widow: Anne Hillebert, of Spafford, N. Y., and his children: Elizabeth, married Elisha Newell, of Spafford, N. Y.; Mary, married William B. Baxter, of Spafford, N. Y.; Charlotte, married Mr. Merritt of Spafford, N. Y.; Sophia, married Zara Berry, of Spafford, N. Y.; Jane, married John M. Weston, (brother of Edmund C. Weston), of Spafford, N. Y.; Amelia Ann Hillebert, of Spafford, N. Y.; John J., married Elizabeth Berry, daughter of Jonathan and Thankful Berry, of Ellery, Chautauqua County, N. Y.; James M., married _____, of Chautauqua County, N. Y.; Nelson, married (1) Emeline Peck, and (2) Eleanor Harvey, daughter of Paul and Sally (Hiscock) Harvey, of Chautauqua County, N. Y.; and Warren, who died at 27 years, unmarried.)

(Borodino.)

Elizabeth (Berry), wife of John C. Hillebert. Died September 18, 1822, age 45 years, 4 months, 28 days.

(Thorn Hill.)

Warren, son of John C. and Elizabeth (Berry) Hillebert. Died February 18, 1839, age 27 years, 5 months, 23 days.

(Borodino.)

HINMAN.

Wait Hinman was a threshing machine manufacturer, and resided in the Village of Borodino, where he purchased in 1829; he married Maria Albro, daughter of Stephen and Freelove Albro, (Stephen Albro was a Revolutionary soldier) and by her had the following children: Albert, married Clarissa Spaulding, daughter of George and Mary (Westgate) Spaulding, he died in Waterloo, N. Y.; George, married Ruth Smith and died in Manlius, N. Y.; Aaron, died when a young man, unmarried, in Syracuse, N. Y.; John, residing in 1898 in Syracuse, N. Y., unmarried; and Harriet, married Jerry Woodmansee, and died in Tully, N. Y.

George Hinman (son of Wait and Maria (Albro) Hinman) by his wife, Ruth Smith, had the following children: Henry, married (1) Caroline Klein, (2) Rose Wealthy, and (3) Harriet Sheldon, daughter of Lansing and Emily A. (Ferris) Sheldon, he is an expressman, residing in Syracuse, N. Y.; Frank, civil engineer, resides in Syracuse, N. Y., unmarried; and Anna, married (1) Irving Northrup, (2) Howard Penoyer, and (3) Frank Bower, resides in Syracuse, N. Y.

Truman Hinman and his wife, Delia, came to the Marcellus end of the town before 1810, and for several years after that date resided on lot 76, Marcellus, near Willow Glen, and at one time owned the State's One Hundred Acres on that lot. How they are related to Wait Hinman, if at all, is not known. He sold out his interest on that lot about 1822.

HINDS.

Adin Hinds. Died September 16, 1833, age 42 years.

"He died in the triumphs of faith,
Through a crucified Redeemer."

(Thorn Hill.)

George L. Hinds, a member of the 149th Regt. N. Y. Vols. Inft. Died December 18, 1878, age 35 years.

(He married Lucy Maria Green, daughter of Henry and Anna Maria (Coon) Green. After his decease his widow married Charles H. Sweet and moved to Missouri.)

(Spafford.)

HISCOCK.

James Hiscock. Died February 24, 1834, age 75 years.

He and his wife, Elizabeth Ann Cody, came to this town from Madison, Madison County, N. Y., in 1812, and settled on lot 69, Marcellus, they were the father and mother of Sally Hiscock, who married Paul Harvey, son of Medad and Anar Buell Harvey. Job Harvey, grandson of James Hiscock, claims he was a soldier of the Revolution.

(Thorn Hill.)

Elizabeth, wife of James Hiscock. Died December 24, 1827, age 73 years.

(Thorn Hill.)

HOLMES.

John Holmes, (son of Samuel and Mercy Ann (Winsor) Holmes). Died July 8, 1846, age 62 years, 9 months, 26 days.

(Samuel Holmes, of the town of Scituate, in the County of Providence, R. I., married Elnathan Brown, of Cumberland, R. I., at the latter place, August 15, 1751, and by her had the following children, recorded in Scituate: Molley, born November 2, 1752; Samuel, born November 17, 1754; and Margaret, born September 9, 1757. We have no record of other children, although there may have been others.

Samuel Holmes, son of Samuel and Elnathan (Brown) Holmes, married at Smithfield, R. I., Mercy Ann Winsor, daughter of Elder John and Mary (Smith) Winsor, December 19, 1779, and by her had the following children, born in Smithfield, R. I.: Salome, born May 5, 1780; Stephen, born August 8, 1781; John, born September 12, 1783; Cynthia, born June 6, 1787, married ——— Larned; Sydney; and Samuel, born April 23, 1795, died at Brocton, N. Y., at the age of 82 years, married at Spafford, N. Y., about 1814, by John Babcock Justice, Eunice Calkins, of the same place. Samuel Holmes, Sr., was a gunsmith by trade. He served during the Revolution as First Lieutenant and Captain, in the 3rd Company of the Smithfield Battalion, in the R. I. Militia. After 1795 he first moved with his family to Little Falls, N. Y., and thence to Spafford, where he was a resident at the organization of that town and was selected as one of the road masters at the first election in 1812. His

son, Samuel, during the War of 1812, enlisted in the United States Service and was at Sackett's Harbor, N. Y., during the year 1814, as a part of the command of General Jacob Brown. After the war he was a pensioner of the United States, by reason of his service during that war. Samuel Holmes, Sr., was a brother-in-law of Daniel Tinkham, formerly of this town, they having married sisters. After the war of 1812 he moved from this town, and died near Canandaigua, N. Y.

John Holmes, son of Samuel and Mercy Ann (Winsor) Holmes, married Lydia Barnes, and by her had the following children, born in this town: Avalinda, married Harvey Barnes of Spafford; Winsor, married Candace Ripley, daughter of John L. and Clarissa E. (Loss) Ripley, (no issue), resides at Spafford, N. Y.; Mercy, died in 1897, unmarried, Borodino cemetery. (No stone.) Juliette, married Rev. Windsor Brown, resides at Borodino, N. Y.; Ann Eliza, married H. Linus Darling, son of Jacob W. and Mary (Buffington) Darling, both dead, Borodino cemetery; John, Jr., married Rebecca Crane, daughter of George W. and Mary Ann Crane, he and his wife are both dead, the latter died at Fairmount, November 9, 1894, at the age of 57 years, and was buried in Borodino Cemetery. (No stone). And Sidney, he moved to Evans, Erie County, N. Y. Mr. Holmes resided at the time of his decease in the Nunnery Neighborhood.

John Holmes, Jr., son of John and Lydia (Barnes) Holmes, married Rebecca Crane, and by her had the following, born in Spafford: Georgie, married, David Olmsted, son of Jeremiah and Lavina Olmsted, resides in Geddes, N. Y.; Nettie, married Frank Streeter, of Borodino, N. Y.; Jay Stanley Holmes, of Geddes, N. Y.; Ann Eliza, and Francis A., died young.)

(Borodino.)

Lydia (Barnes) Holmes, (wife of John Holmes, Sr.)
Died January 10, 1878, age 84 years, 9 months, 29 days.

“ Children dear, weep not for me,
For you'r not long to stay;
If Jesus permits I will sit
And wait for you at the gate.”

(Borodino.)

John Holmes, Jr., (son of John and Lydia (Barnes) Holmes). Died February 13, 1888, age 57 years.

(Borodino.)

Rebecca Crane, wife of John Holmes, Jr. Died November 9, 1894, age 57 years. (No stone.)

(Borodino.)

Ann Eliza, daughter of John, Jr., and Rebecca (Crane) Holmes. Died August 14, 1859, age 15 months.

(Borodino.)

Francis A., son of John, Jr., and Rebecca (Crane) Holmes. Died February 18, 1862, age 2 months.

(Borodino.)

HOWTIN.

Nettie. Died March 14, 1875, age 8 months.

Charles R. Died October 5, 1880, age 2 years.

Children of W. H. and Ann Howtin.

(Thorn Hill.)

HOXSIE.

Rowland Hoxsie, (son of John B. and Ruhamah (Bentley) Hoxsie). Died September 1, 1869, age 78 years, 9 months, 28 days.

(Rowland Robinson Hoxsie came to this town from Greenwich, Washington County, N. Y., about October 19, 1816, and first settled on the east part of lot 71, Marcellus, bordering on the west shore of Otisco Lake; from there he moved to Thorn Hill where he remained until his decease. He was a stone mason by trade and assisted in building some of the locks on the Erie Canal, but in this town and in Marcellus he followed farming. He married (1) Almira Chapman, daughter of Amasa and Lydia (Hunt) Chapman, and by her had four children: Theodore, married _____ Alexander; Lydia, married _____ Briggs, of Buffalo, N. Y.; Mary Jane, married _____ Dudley; and Dr Augustus Chapman, married Anna Poole, he died in Buffalo, N. Y. For a second wife Rowland R. Hoxsie married Lucy Griffin of Otisco, N. Y., and by her had: Rowland Robinson, Jr., born in 1846, married and resides in Skaneateles, N. Y.; John Adams, born in 1848, married _____, ex-Sheriff of Onondags County, resides in Syracuse, N. Y.;

and Albert Mitchell, born in 1850, married ————, and resides in Syracuse, N. Y.

Mr. Rowland R. Hoxsie had a brother, John B. Hoxsie, who also resided in this town on lot 69, Marcellus, and who died after 1833 and before 1837. His widow, Lucy Hoxsie, after his decease, married John M. Cowan, of this town. By his wife Lucy he had one son: Wanton Hoxsie, who died April 15, 1837, aged three years. Where he or his son were buried is not known.

R. is omitted on two stones.

(Thorn Hill.)

Almira (Chapman), wife of Rowland R. Hoxsie. Died September 23, 1840, age 35 years, 6 months, 1 day.

(Thorn Hill.)

Lucy (Griffin), wife of Rowland R. Hoxsie. Died October 22, 1852, age 33 years, 3 months, 8 days.

(Thorn Hill.)

Ruhamah (Bentley), wife of John B. Hoxsie. Died November 19, 1826, age 59 years, 11 days.

(Where her husband, John B. Hoxsie, is buried is not known.)

(Thorn Hill.)

Hamilton, son of John B. and Ruhamah (Bentley) Hoxsie. Died November 17, 1823, age 18 years, 10 months.

(Thorn Hill.)

HUFFMAN.

James D. Huffman (son of George Huffman).
Still living in 1898.

(Cold Brook.)

HUNT.

James Hunt. Died June 24, 1895, age 66 years.

(He married Lavina M. Orton, daughter of Zenas and Sally Orton.)

(Borodino.)

Lavina M. (Orton), wife of James Hunt. Died January 7, 1884, age 45 years.

(Borodino.)

Infant son of James and Lavina M. (Orton) Hunt. Died March 16, 1870, age 3 months, 4 days.

(Borodino.)

Nancy (Converse)' wife of Alvinza Hunt. Died January, 1831, age 20 years, 6 months.

(Mr. Hunt married (1) Nancy Converse, and (2) Phebe Converse, step-daughter of Samuel Conklin. He moved to Michigan..)

(Thorn Hill.)

HURD.

Charlotte (Brown), wife of Charles Hurd, and daughter of Jacob and Deborah (Morris) Brown. Born April 10, 1846.

(She was living in 1898. She married first Byron Van Benschoten, and second Charles Hurd. She was a twin sister of Jane Brown, wife of James Hibbard. Resides at Glen Haven, N. Y.)

(Spafford.)

HUTCHENS.

Col. Phineas Hutchens. Died June 17, 1870, age 85 years, 3 months.

(Colonel Hutchens was born in Herkimer County, N. Y., March 16, 1785, and came to this town among the first settlers and prior to 1812, and settled on Lot 22, Tully, and remained there until his decease. Among his brothers and sisters were the following, some of whom also came to this town: John, married Maria Roundy, daughter of Uriah and Lucretia (Needham) Roundy, in Spafford in 1816, went West, where they both died and were buried; Leuius; Roswell, married a Miss Sennett and settled in Oakland County, Mich.; Parthena, married Orrin Britt and settled in Medina, N. Y.; Albanus, married Anna ———; and a sister, who married a Mr. Bennett.

Col. Hutchens married (1) Margaret Giberson, January 27, 1811, and by her had two children: Caroline, born November 8, 1812, died in 1891, married Chester Patterson, son of Calvin and Sarah (Thompson) Patterson, February 28, 1834, in Spafford, both dead, buried in Borodino; and Margaret, born February 19, 1814, married Nathan P. Thompson, son of Reuben and Sally Thompson, March 3, 1836, husband dead, and she residing in 1898 in Homer, N. Y. Mr. Hutchens' first wife died in Spafford, February

23, 1814, and he married for a second wife Betsey Bocker, January 11, 1815, and by her had eight children: Louisa, born October 19, 1815, died May 2, 1883, married Frederick McKay, son of Augustin and Polly (Partridge) McKay, October 8, 1837, both dead, buried in Spafford Cemetery; Parthena, born August 12, 1817, died January 29, 1862, married (1) Lewis B. Marshall and (2) Samuel Crane, both dead; Jane, born February 22, 1819, died September 5, 1849, married (1) ———— Kimberly, and (2) Lark S. Livermore, she died before her father and left one son: Charles B. Livermore, then a minor, residing at Chariton, Iowa; Roswell, born May 14, 1821, died January 16, 1854, at Spafford, unmarried; Phineas, Jr., born May 9, 1823, died June, 1880, married Elizabeth Lewis, daughter of John R. and Roxana (Moon) Lewis, he left no issue, wife moved to Illinois; Clarissa, born July 7, 1825, died September 11, 1831; Orrin, born November 17, 1827, married Mary McDaniels, March, 1854, no issue, resides in Spafford in 1899; and Lucy, born April 6, 1830, died April 5, 1882 married Lyman C. Bennett, son of Stephen and Waity (Hill) Bennett, she had one child: Phineas H. Bennett, who died young, she was buried in Spafford Cemetery. Mrs. Hutchens died July 25, 1831, and Mr. Hutchens married for a third wife Lydia Smith, but by her had no issue, her death occurring January 25, 1856. Mr. Hutchens, during the war of 1812, was First Lieutenant in Capt. Asahel Roundy's Company, in the 98th Regt., N. Y. Militia, (Lieut. Col. Christopher Clark commanding), which served for a short tour of duty near Sackett's Harbor, N. Y., in the year 1814. He subsequently obtained the rank of Colonel in the New York Militia. Col. Hutchens, during his residence in this town, was an active, public spirited and useful citizen, and served his town in a creditable manner, in the discharge of the duties of the various town offices to which, from time to time, he was elected, including among others: Supervisor, Assessor, Poor Master, Town Trustee, Commissioner of Highways, and School Commissioner. He was a man of marked character, great physical strength, and had a pleasing sense of humor. Between him and Capt. Asahel Roundy there was always an intimate relation and abiding friendship, and the two men, who generally acted in unison in public affairs, had a strong influence in shaping the political

and economic policy of the town during their active career, which extended down to nearly the close of their joint lives. Mr. Hutchens and his family generally attended the Baptist Church, of which part, at least, were members.)

(Spafford.)

Margaret (Giberson), wife of Col. Phineas Hutchens. Died February 23, 1814, age 23 years.

(Spafford.)

Betsey (Bocker), wife of Col. Phineas Hutchens. Died July 25, 1831, age 40 years.

(Spafford.)

Lydia (Smith), wife of Col. Phineas Hutchens. Died January 25, 1856, age 74 years.

(Spafford.)

Clarissa, daughter of Col. Phineas and Betsey (Bocker) Hutchens. Died September 11, 1831, age 6 years, 2 months, 4 days.

(Spafford.)

Roswell Hutchens, (son of Col. Phineas and Betsey (Bocker) Hutchens). Died January 16, 1854, in his 33rd year.

“Thy name, dear brother, is engraved
On the hearts that loved thee.”

(Spafford.)

In memory of Urania,, daughter of John and Maria (Roundy) Hutchens, who died December 21, 1816, age two days.

“We’d scarce received the blooming gift,
When mourned the pleasure gone.”

(Spafford.)

HUTTON.

Caleb Hutton. Died July 21, 1881, age 75 years.

(Mr. Hutton was Low Dutch and came from Ulster County, N. Y. He married Hannah Sessions, half sister of Amasa Sessions. After her decease he moved to Grand Ledge, Mich., where he married a second time. After his death, which occurred at Grand Ledge, his body was brought back and buried beside his first wife. His widow Martha, subsequently married Albert E. Fulton, as his second wife.)

(Thorn Hill.)

Hannah (Sessions), wife of Caleb Hutton. Died November 25, 1865, age 68 years, 9 months.

(Thorn Hill.)

HYDE.

Oliver Hyde. Died November 15, 1837, age 83 years, 13 days.

(He was a soldier of the Revolution. By his wife Polly, he had a daughter, Prudy, who married Isaac Mills as his second wife. His daughter, Esther E. Hyde, died unmarried; he also had two daughters, Roxana and Lydia.)

(Thorn Hill.)

Polly, wife of Oliver Hyde. Died October 1, 1833, age 75 years, 3 months.

(Thorn Hill.)

Esther E. Hyde, (daughter of Oliver and Polly Hyde). Died November 24, 1840, age 40 years, 5 months, 15 days.

“We trust she’s gone to the world of bliss
Where sorrow ends and suffering ceases,
To join the happy throng above,
And shout free grace to the God of Love.”

(Thorn Hill.)

IDE.

Rev. Rogers Ide. Died June 2, 1863, age 75 years, 1 month.

“I have gone home.”

(The given name of his first wife was Esther. In the application for letters upon his estate by Daniel P. Anthony, guardian, etc., dated February 13, 1864, mention is made of his widow: Ada Ide, of Dillsburg, Dearborn County, Ind., and the following children: Charity married Alanson E. Colton, of Spafford, N. Y.; David Ide, of Eaton Valley, Erie County, N. Y.; and Esther Mary, married Elkanah Burroughs, of Danville, Vemellia County, Illinois. Mention is also made of the following: David H. Ide, son of Daniel M. Ide, then a minor residing in Illinois; Roger Ide, Lemuel Ide, Eliza Ide, and Daniel Ide, four children, and two grandchildren of his deceased son, Hiram Ide, all then residing in Illinois.)

(Borodino.)

Esther Ide, wife of Elder Rogers Ide. Died December 21, 1855, age 76 years, 4 months, 24 days.

(Borodino.)

Henry Ide, (son of Rogers and Esther Ide). Died December 21, 1892, age 83 years, 9 months, 3 days.

(He married (1) Harriet Colton, daughter of Gideon and Rhoda (Fowler) Colton, and (2) Elizabeth, and had the following children by his first wife: Francis, married Mary Olmstead, daughter of Isaac and Eunice (Case) Olmstead; Henry, Jr., married Jannette Rathbone, daughter of La-Grand and Juliette (Legg) Rathbone; Hortense, married Otis Cross, son of Truman and Eunice (Legg) Cross; Mary Jane, married John Kinyon, of Otisco, N. Y.; and Harriet, who died at the age of four years. By his second wife he had one daughter, Blanche, who married a Mr. Borden, and was at that time of the age of nineteen years and resided in Auburn, N. Y. All others whose residence is not given then resided in Spafford, N. Y.)

(Borodino.)

Harriet (Colton), wife of Henry Ide. Died January 13, 1871, age 59 years, 1 month, 11 days.

(Borodino.)

Harriet Ide, daughter of Henry and Harriet (Colton) Ide. Died November 23, 1837, age 4 years.

(Borodino.)

Ina, daughter of Henry, Jr., and Jennette (Rathbone) Ide. Died ——— 25, 1881, age 10 years, 3 months, 28 days.

“The angels their kind watch are keeping
Over our Ina’s safe sleeping,
No pain and no sorrow or weeping in Heaven.”

(Borodino.)

Maud, daughter of Henry, Jr., and Jetnette (Rathbone) Ide. Died July 22, 1881, age 6 years, 6 months, 4 days.

“That little voice no more I hear,
No laughing child I see,
No little arms around my neck,
No maid upon my knee.
No kiss drop upon my cheek,
These lips are sealed to me,
Dear Lord! how could we give her up
To any but to Thee.”

(Borodino.)

Hattie A., daughter of Francis and Mary J. (Olmstead)
 Ide. Died January 19, 1876, age 15 years, 3 months.
 (Borodino.)

INGHAM.

Jonathan Ingham. Died April 23, 1863, age 78 years, 2 months.

(He married Sarah Hicks. In his will, dated April 8, 1852, and probated May 24, 1861, he mentions his wife, Sarah Ingham, but she died before his decease and the probating said will. In the will and petition for its probate dated May 24, 1861, the following additional heirs are mentioned: His daughter, Cordelia, married Moses P. Maul, residing in Spafford, N. Y.; and Cordelia Simmons and Sarah I. Butts, both of Smyrna, Chenango County, N. Y., children of his deceased daughter, Hannah Butts. All were of full age, except Sarah I. Butts, who was a minor.)
 (Thorn Hill.)

Sarah (Hicks), wife of Jonathan Ingham. Died April 14, 1855, age 63 years.

INGERSON.

(Peter Ingerson, died at Vesper, N. Y., July 5, 1891, but formerly resided in Spafford Hollow. In his will, dated June 1, 1891, and probated January 9, 1893, he mentions his wife, Elizabeth Ingerson, and the following children: Henry Ingerson, of Tully, N. Y.; Emily Barker, widow of Joshua Barker of Tully, N. Y.; his adopted daughter, Phebe Maycumber, wife of Randall Maycumber, of Tully, N. Y., and formerly widow of William E. Fisher of Spafford, N. Y.; and his daughter, Mary Ann Brown, widow of Herbert Brown, of Truxton, N. Y.)

ISDELL.

Mary (Harris), wife on Andrew Isdell. Died May 4, 1843, age 49 years, 2 months.

(Andrew Isdell married (1) Mary Harris, and (2) Sabina Maxson, sister of the first wife of Albert Foster. He had the following children by his first wife and none by his second: James H., married Samantha Young, widow of Ruluf Jerome Barber; Mary, married Erastus Norton, son

of Moses and Percy (Barber) Norton, husband dead and she resides in Spafford, N. Y.; Emily, married Seymour Doty, son of Willard and Achsah (Bacon) Doty, both dead and left no issue; Jane, married Lyman Carpenter (member of firm of Carpenter and Coleman), resides in Syracuse, N. Y.; Phebe, married William Bacon, son of Amos and Abigail (Cady) Bacon; and Margaret, married Orrin Cook of Gloversville, N. Y.)

(Cold Brook.)

Jewett A., son of James H. and Samantha (Young) Isdell. Died September 20, 1849, age 2 years, 2 months, 26 days.

(James H. Isdell and his wife, Samantha, are both dead, he having died at Syracuse, N. Y., October, 1886. Their children were: Jewett A., Bradford D., Majesta H., who each died young, and Dorwin, who still survives, was married, and at the time of his father's decease resided in Syracuse, N. Y.)

(Cold Brook.)

Bradford D., son of James H. and Samantha (Young) Isdell. Died September 29, 1847, age 3 years, 5 months, 4 days.

“ God took from us our loved ones,
And though our tear drops swell,
We would not dare murmur
He doeth all things well.”

(Cold Brook.)

Majesta H., daughter of James H. and Samantha (Young) Isdell. Died December 12, 1860, age 18 years, 7 months, 12 days.

“ She died as she had lived beloved,
Without an enemy on earth,
In word and deed she breathed and moved
The soul of honor and of worth.
Her hand was open as the day,
Her bearing high, her nature true,
And when from life she passed away
Our hearts went with her to the grave.”

(Cold Brook.)

JACKSON.

Elias Jackson. Died November 1, 1830, age 76 years.

(Nunnery.)

JACOBS.

"Our Father"—Elias Jacobs. Died April 30, 1877, age 85 years, 10 months, 15 days.

(His wife, Betsey J., died in 1867. In his will, dated July 25, 1876, and probated June 16, 1877, he mentions no wife, but the following children: Betsey Jane, married Hiram Seeley, son of Samuel G. and Adah (Fowler) Seeley, both dead, and buried in Spafford Cemetery; Marie J., married Rev. James Gutsell, then of Van Etnenville, Chemung Co., N. Y.; and Milo E, married Caroline O'Farrell, daughter of William and Dinah O'Farrell. Milo E. Jacobs and his wife and family moved West, where his death preceded that of his father. In the petition for probate of his father's will, mention is made of his son's children as follows: Francis J., of Chicago, Ill.; Charles, of Winnebago, Ill.; and Wilber F. Jacobs, of Winnebago, Ill.; all of full age, except the latter, who was a minor over 14 years of age.)

(Spafford.)

"Our Mother"—Betsey G., wife of Elias Jacobs. Died August 14, 1867, age 69 years, 23 days.

(Spafford.)

JOHNSON.

Loami W. Johnson. Died April 22, 1861, age 76 years, 1 month, 22 days.

(He came to this town from Cambridge, Washington County, N. Y., about 1818, and settled on Lot 75, Marcellus; he having, however, purchased an interest in lands there before that time, in the Spring of 1810. H was a cooper by occupation and pursued that avocation in connection with farming, down to the time of his decease. From the Marcellus end of the town he moved to Lot 10, Sempronius, in the town of Spafford, about 1825, and afterwards to Lot 21, Tully, in the Village of Spafford Corners, where he remained, carrying on the business of cooper until his decease. He first married before coming to this town, Margaret Berry, sister of Jonathan Berry, by whom he had three children: Joseph B., died at 28 years, unmarried; Jonathan, married Esther Woodworth, daughter of Elias and Diadama (Bassett) Woodworth, both dead, and buried in Spafford, N. Y.; and Esther, died at 22 years, unmarried.

For a second wife Mr. Johnson married Rebecca Stanley of Pompey, but by her had no issue.)

(Borodino.)

Margaret (Berry), wife of Loami W. Johnson. Died September 1, 1837, age 52 years, 6 months, 18 days.

(Borodino.)

Rebecca (Stanley), wife of Loami W. Johnson. Died December 29, 1860, age 60 years.

(Borodino.)

Mr. Joseph B. Johnson, (son of Loami W. and Margaret (Berry) Johnson). Died March 7, 1835, age 28 years, 2 months, 9 days.

“Depart my friends, dry up your tears,
I must lie here 'till Christ appears.”

(Borodino.)

Miss Esther Johnson, (daughter of Loami W. and Margaret (Berry) Johnson). Died September 21, 1835, age 22 years, 4 months, 1 day.

“Her gentle spirit soars away,
To dwell with God in endless day.”

(Borodino.)

Jonathan Johnson, (son of Loami W. and Margaret (Berry) Johnson). Died June 22, 1874, age 66 years, 2 months, 5 days.

(Jonathan Johnson, by his wife, Esther Woodworth, had four children: Fortunatus B., died in 1854, unmarried; Edwin, married Helen L. Breed, daughter of Reuben T. and Purlina M. (Patchen) Breed, both dead, left one son, Grove E. Johnson, married in Syracuse, N. Y.; Mary Elizabeth, born June 18, 1842, married in Sempronius, December 27, 1860. Fernando C. Prindle son of Moses and Purlina M. (Patchen) Prindle, no issue, residing in Spafford, N. Y.; and Martha J., who died young. Mr. Johnson was a cooper by trade, but followed farming and practiced law in Justice Courts.)

(Spafford.)

Esther (Woodworth), wife of Jonathan Johnson. Died September 18, 1893, age 83 years.

“God's word we trust.”

After the decease of her husband, Jonathan Johnson, she married for a second husband a Mr. Smith, but by him had no issue.)

(Spafford.)

Fortunatus B., son of Jonathan and Esther (Woodworth) Johnson. Died January 14, 1854, age 18 years, 6 months, 8 days.

"None knew him but to praise."

(Spafford.)

Martha J., daughter of Jonathan and Esther (Woodworth) Johnson. Died April 8, 1847, age 10 months, 3 days.

"Sweetest little bud for earth too fair,
Has gone to Heaven to blossom there."

(Spafford.)

Edwin Johnson, (son of Jonathan and Esther (Woodworth) Johnson). Died April 5, 1874, age 37 years, 7 months, 5 days.

(Spafford.)

Helen L. (Breed) Johnson, wife of Edwin Johnson. Died March 10, 1874, age 29 years, 3 months, 3 days.

(Spafford.)

Infant son of Edwin and Helen L. (Breed) Johnson. Died March 1, 1866, age 7 weeks.

(Spafford.)

Edwin C. Johnson, son of Grove E. Johnson. Died —, age 2 months. (No stone.)

(Grove E. Johnson was a son of Edwin and Helen L. (Breed) Johnson.)

(Spafford.)

KELLOGG.

Olive Chloe (Churchill), wife of William Kellogg. Died September 13, 1875, age 31 years.

(She was a daughter of Chauncey and Catherine (Merry) Churchill.)

(Cold Brook.)

KELSEY.

Olive A. (Sharp), wife of William Kelsey. Died April 10, 1863, age 23 years, 10 months.

(She was a daughter of John Wm. and Lydia A. (Underwood) Sharp.)

(Cold Brook.)

KING.

Clarence C. King, son of Caleb E. and Mary E. (Lamphire) King. Died September 11, 1888, age 4 months, 3 days.

(Caleb E. King married Mary E. Lamphire, daughter of John Lamphire; he is a store keeper at Spafford Corners, and was Supervisor of the town for the year 1898-9.)
(Spafford.)

KINGSBURY.

Dr. David Kingsbury. Died March 7, 1841, age 64 years, 6 months, 19 days.

“Lo! where this silent marble weeps
A friend, a husband, a father sleeps,
A heart within whose sacred cell,
The peaceful virtues lov'd to dwell.”

(Dr. Kingsbury practiced medicine in Clintonville, Marcellus, N. Y.; he married Delia Bowen.)

(Thorn Hill.)

Ann Gennett, daughter of David and Delina (Bowen) Kingsbury. Died September 9, 1822, age 3 years.

(Thorn Hill.)

KIRKPATRICK.

William Kirkpatrick. Died February 1, 1861, age 66 years, 11 months, 5 days.

(Borodino.)

Caroline F., daughter of William and Lucy Kirkpatrick. Died September 29, 1856, age 15 years.

(Borodino.)

KNAPP.

Peter Knapp. Died July 13, 1839, age 84 years, 4 months, 18 days.

(He came from Westchester County, N. Y., first to Brutus, N. Y., and then to Spafford, where he settled on Lot 42, Tully, in 1806. His purchase consisted of the whole of that lot, excepting the State's Hundred Acres, and his residence was located near where William Barker's house now (1899) stands. He married his wife, Dinah Guion, in Westchester

County, May 18, 1775. She was born May 7, 1757, and died in Spafford, October 17, 1835. By her he had the following children: Sarah, born April 28, 1776, died December, 1794, married Elijah Hadden, in Westchester, December, 1794; Anna, born October 13, 1777, died unmarried, October 26, 1828; Cynthia born May 13, 1780, died April 18, 1867, married Ellis Taft, October 8, 1809; Elijah, born December 9, 1782, died January 27, 1867, married December 9, 1812, at Scott, N. Y. Betsey Burdick, daughter of Thompson and Tabitha (Wilcox) Burdick; John, born August 22, 1785, died in Michigan, January 17, 1874, married Mamra Hotchkiss, February 13, 1806; Hannah, born March 9, 1789, died in Ovid Seneca County, N. Y., December 14, 1868, married John Ingersoll, August 20, 1807; Peter, Jr., born February 14, 1791, died March 24, 1875, married Saberah Babcock, daughter of Ezra Babcock of Scott, N. Y., born July 3, 1796, died April 20, 1872, they died and were buried in Scott; Mary, born July 29, 1793, (dead), married Jonathan Patterson, son of Ebenezer and Dinah Patterson, resided and died in Ohio; Isaac, born August 29, 1795, died in Michigan, married Polly Berry, daughter of Jonathan and Thankful Berry; Silas, born December 30, 1797, died in Medina, N. Y., December 16, 1888, married Flora Barber, daughter of Erastus and Joanna Barber; James Desbrosses, born March 23, 1800, died in Michigan, September 28, 1855, married Lois Ingersoll; and Kortright, born April 30, 1803, died January 17, 1883, married Ginsey Skinner, he died in Michigan.)

(Spafford.)

Peter Knapp, Jr., by his wife Saberah Babcock, had the following children: Stephen C., born January 17, 1816, married Elizabeth Smith of Napoli, N. Y., both living (1899), in Preble, N. Y. (They have the following: Edward, Cynthia, Burdett, Adelbert, Alice, and Annice (twins), Sarah, Orville, Willard and Ezra Fred.); Euretta born October 1, 1817, married H. Lee Burdick of Scott, N. Y., where they now reside, (their children are: Emerson, Elbert, and Mary); Sally Ann, born February 16, 1820, married William Davis, of Lincklaen, N. Y., where they now reside. (They have two children, names not known); Asher M., born May 16, 1822, died in Wisconsin, September 25, 1897, married Amy Potter of Truxton, N. Y.

(three children); J. Riley, born April 29, 1825, married Caroline Knorr of Bloomsburg, Pa., he resides in Scott, N. Y. (Two children: Harry and Maggie); Minerva S., born December 14, 1827, resides in New Hope, N. Y., unmarried; Ezra B., born February 26, 1830, married Loretta E. Wilson of Skaneateles, N. Y., where they now reside, no issue; Epinetus H., born August 13, 1833, married (1) Nancy Vandenburg, of Preble, N. Y., and (2) Amelia Dykeman of New York City, resides in Scranton, Pa. (one child, Minnie); and Clarence N., born April 22, 1836, married Olivia Barber of Scott, N. Y., where they now reside, no issue. (Spafford.)

Dinah (Guion), wife of Peter Knapp. Born May 7, 1757, died October 17, 1835. (No stone.)

(Spafford.)

In memory of Ann Knapp, (daughter of Peter and Dinah (Guion) Knapp), who died October 26, 1828, age 51 years, 13 days.

“ Affictions sore with patience bore,
Physicians were in vain,
’Till God did please to give me ease
And take me from my pain.”

Elijah Knapp, (son of Peter and Dinah (Guion) Knapp). Died January 27, 1867, age 84 years, 1 month, 18 days.

(Elijah Knapp married Betsey Burdick at Scott, N. Y., December 9, 1812, and by her had: Angeline, born July 19, 1814, and died April 16, 1824; George Frink, born October 9, 1815, married Betsey Ann Gale, daughter of Samuel and Sally (Manley) Gale; Emeline, born January 30, 1817, married William Collins, son of John and Lucy (Burdick) Collins, she resides in Spafford, N. Y.; and Betsey Ann, born August 14, 1825, married William Barker, son of Darius and Mary (Cooper) Barker. Elijah Knapp resided on the Skaneateles and Homer road, on Lot 42, Tully, on lands received from his father, Peter Knapp. He and his family attended the Baptist Church. He was a farmer.) (Spafford.)

Betsey (Burdick), wife of Elijah Knapp. Died December 30, 1872, age 79 years, 1 month.

(She was a daughter of Thompson and Tabitha (Wilcox) Burdick, and born (probably), in Stonington, Conn., November 30, 1793. She came with her parents to Brookfield,

Madison County, N. Y., about 1796, and a few years afterwards to Scott, N. Y., where she remained until the time of her marriage. She was descended from Robert Burdick, first of Newport and afterwards of Westerly, R. I., as follows: Betsey, Thompson, John, Hubbard, Robert. Her father and mother are both buried near her grave in this cemetery.)

(Spafford.)

In memory of Angeline, daughter of Elijah and Betsey (Burdick) Knapp. Died April 16, 1821, age 9 years, 8 months, 17 days.

“Sleep on dear child and take thy rest,
For Jesus called you when he thought best.”

(Spafford.)

Martin E. Knapp, (son of Alanson Knapp). Died March 28, 1875, age 76 years.

(Martin Elmer Knapp was born in Salisbury, Litchfield County, Conn. The name of his mother is not known, but the given name of his stepmother was Hannah. After leaving Salisbury he first settled in Hillsdale, Columbia County, N. Y., and after a few years, according to the memory of his daughter, Mrs. Kinney, moved to Delaware County, and about 1835 or 1836 came to this town, where he finally settled on the farm afterwards owned by his son, Justin N. Knapp, on Lot 43, Tully, Cold Brook, in 1837. This farm he subsequently sold to his son, and he moved to Scott, N. Y., where he died in 1875. His first wife was Lucinda Niles, and his second wife Phebe Van Benschoten; he had no issue by his second wife, but by the first he had the following: Justin Niles, married Polly P. McKay, daughter of Augustin and Polly (Partridge) McKay, he is dead and his wife resides in Cold Brook, P. O., South Spafford, N. Y.; Josiah Niles, was a minister and died at the age of 25 years, unmarried; and Eunice A., married (1) Sanford B. Kinney, and (2) Loami Kinney, both husbands are dead and she resides in Homer, N. Y.)

(Cold Brook.)

Lucinda (Niles), wife of Martin E. Knapp. Died November 24, 1846, age 46 years.

(Cold Brook.)

Rev. Josiah N. Knapp, (son of Martin E. and Lucinda (Niles) Knapp). Died August 15, 1846, age 25 years.
(Cold Brook.)

Justin N. Knapp, (son of Martin E. and Lucinda (Niles) Knapp). Died May 10, 1893, age 74 years.

(By his wife, Polly P. McKay, born September 30, 1821, and living in 1899, he had the following children: Martin Augustus, married Marion H. Hotchkiss, resides in Washington, D. C., Interstate Commissioner; Mary L., died at 29 years, unmarried; Justin Niles, married Mary Sterling Hobart, of Homer, N. Y.; he resides in Syracuse, N. Y.; and Alice Arzena, married Charles Kellogg, resides in New York City, N. Y.)

(Cold Brook.)

Mary L., daughter of Justus N. and Polly P. (McKay) Knapp. Died October 20, 1875, age 29 years.

(Cold Brook.)

KNEELAND.

Amasa Kneeland, (son of Jonathan and Mary (Spencer) Kneeland). Died April 22, 1845, age 68 years, 7 months, 15 days.

(Amasa Kneeland was born at East Haddam, Conn., September 7, 1776, married Charlotte Kidder in 1807, and by her had the following children, born in Marcellus (now Spafford): Stella, born January 13, 1808, died September 3, 1891, married Cephas Bassett, she was educated in Homer and Cortland Academies, and went to East India with her husband, as a missionary; Ellen, born April 2, 1809, died December 3, 1888, married Seymour Tracy, and formerly resided at Junction City, Mo.; Hon. Samuel Stillman, born April 2, 1811, died at Skaneateles at the age of 85 years, married Cordelia Wrgiht of Marcellus, October 17, 1848. He was a member of Assembly from this town in 1853, and represented the town in the Board of Supervisors from 1857 to 1860. He also served the town in various other minor offices, such as Assessor, and School Inspector. He was a Republican in politics. (He had three daughters who survived him, of whom—Ellen, married a Mr. Thorne, the other two are unmarried); Persis, born in 1813, died unmarried in 1844; Amasa Spencer, born October 22, 1814, now dead, He was a Baptist minister. Married Almira E. Foot;

had three children, now residing at Strikersville, N. Y. Mary, born August, 1817, died October 8, 1882, married George Sessions and moved to Jefferson County, Colorado; John Kidder, born April, 1819, married and resides in Michigan; Hon. A. Judson, born May 5, 1821, married Esther Griswold, lawyer, died 1884 in Homer, N. Y.; Jane Ann, born March 30, 1823, married Martin Spencer, and resides in Galva, Illinois; Benjamin Trumbull, born June 3, 1825, married Harriet Mills resides at Dalton, N. Y.; and Dolphus Bennett, born 1827, married Miranda Charles and lives in Ionia. The Kneeland family attended the Baptist Church at Thorn Hill. Mr. Kneeland was descended from Edward Kneeland, who came to this country in 1630, and finally settled in Ipswick, Mass., as follows: Amasa, Jonathan, John, Benjamin, Edward, Edward. According to the Kneeland genealogy the family were of Scotch origin, and trace their line back into the middle of the thirteenth century.)

(Thorn Hill.)

Persis, daughter of Amasa and Charlotte (Kidder) Kneeland. Died November 4, 1844, age 32 years.

(Thorn Hill.)

Among the other members of the Kneeland family who came to this town, but left no dead, were the following:

John Kneeland, son of John and Mary (Spencer) Kneeland, and brother of Amasa, born at East Haddam, Conn., May 10, 1769, married Sally Benson, and by her had: Ichabod, married Anna Prentice of Skaneateles, N. Y.; Warren, married Fanny Hyde; Amasa; Whitfield, married Sarah Fry; Nathan; John B., born in 1812, married Lucinda Sickles in 1845; Clarinda, married Benjamin Howe; Philura, died in 1879, unmarried; Minerva; Mary, married David D. G. Chandler; Zipporah; and Sarah. John Kneeland moved at an early date from this town to Livingston County, N. Y., where he remained until his death. About 1835 his five sons moved from Livingston County, in this State, to Livingston County, in Michigan, and their descendants now largely reside in that State.

Warren Kneeland, son of Jonathan and Mary (Spencer) Kneeland, another brother of Amasa, born in East Haddam, Conn., November 2, 1771, died 1868 at the age of 97 years, married (1) January 3, 1809, Elizabeth Fitzgerald, daughter

of Jeremiah and Anna Fitzgerald, she died in 1818 and he then married (2) Rachel Randell, widow of Garner Sherman, she died in Illinois in 1860. By his first wife he had the following children: Joel, born January, 1810, and died unmarried, June 10, 1837; Dr. Jonathan, born February 10, 1812, died in South Onondaga, May, 1898, married Miriam Dwelle, February 7, 1845; David F., born in 1811 and died at four months; and Nancy, born June 27, 1814, married (1) Rev. Jeremiah B. Evarts, and (2) Minard LaFever; and by his second wife he had the following: Elizabeth; Andrew Jackson, born March 20, 1823, died April 17, 1886, married Lucy Adeline Parker; Cynthia, born 1825, married A. Nosstrand; and Warren H., born 1831, married and settled in Oakland, California. Warren Kneeland, Sr., was a teacher for over thirty years, having taught school in both Saratoga and Onondaga Counties.

Asa Kneeland, born 1773, at East Haddam, Conn., and died 1842, son of Jonathan and Mary Spencer, and brother of Amasa, married in 1800 Hannah Green, and by her had the following children: Edward, born January 15, 1801, married Mary Thompson, (he has one son, Edward, the only male descendant of Asa, now living); Charles, born and died in 1802; Sarah, born 1803, died 1853, married Joseph Berry (no issue); Horace, born May 12, 1806. He was a sculptor, died 1875, married Lucy Ann, no issue; Hector, born May 12, 1806 (twin of Horace), married Maria Smith, he died in San Francisco, California, at the age of 84 years; Charles, born June 8, 1808, married Catherine Horr, he died in 1847 without issue; Catherine, born June 8, 1808 (twin of Charles), married Alonzo Meacham, resided in Davenport, Iowa; Angeline, born June, 1810, died April 1, 1880, married (1) Fred Knickerbocker, and (2) Daniel Southwick; Almira, born September 10, 1812, died June, 1838; Cornelia, born March 7, 1816, married Daniel Baker of St. Paul, Minn.; Hiram, born March 27, 1818; died September, 1840; and Henrietta, born January 6, 1822, married (1) James M. Goodhue, and (2) Jasper Tarbox, living in 1897. These children of Jonathan Kneeland were, of course, descended from Edward, the emigrant ancestor in this country, the same as stated for Amasa above.

KNIGHT.

Sylvanus Knight. Died July 5, 1866, age 48 years, 7 months, 19 days.

(He married Mercena Randall, daughter of Silas and Mercy (Harrington) Randall. His wife survived him, and after his decease married Nathan Bond for her second husband. She was living in 1898 at Spafford, N. Y.)

LAMB.

Joseph K. Lamb, (son of Jeduthan Lamb). Died July 9, 1843, age 46 years, 1 month, 26 days.

(He married Malinda Ferry, daughter of Asa and Ruhama Ferry.)

(Thorn Hill.)

LANSDOWN.

Mary A. (Morse), wife of John Lansdown. Died October 2, 1851, age 26 years.

(She was a daughter of Matthias Morse of Spafford Hollow.)

(Spafford.)

LATHROP.

Marcelia S., daughter of Philemon and Sophia Lathrop. Died August 24, 1842, age 4 years, 9 days.

(Philemon Lathrop resided in town for a short stay; he was a stone cutter by trade and left this stone as a specimen of his handicraft.)

(Spafford.)

Lucretia Roundy Lathrop. Died October 17, 1879, age 69 years.

(Served her country in the War of 1861 as Hospital Nurse at Winchester, City Point, and Annapolis.)

(Spafford.)

LEARNED.

Merritt Learned. Died July 14, 1845, age 61 years, 7 months.

(By his wife, Clarissa, he left two sons him surviving: Jason, and Joseph.)

(Borodino.)

Clarissa, wife of Merrit Learned. Died February 18, 1844.

(Borodino.)

LEGG.

Capt. Otis Legg, (son of Moses and Mary Legg). Died June 1, 1821, age 33 years, 11 months, 23 days.

“ Afflictions sore a long time I bore,
Physicians were in vain,
'Till God did please to give me ease
And take me from my pain.”

(The Legg family came from Mendon, Worcester County, Mass., where Reuben Legg, the grandfather of Captain Moses Legg, lived, raised his family and died. The ancestral line of Reuben, or even the name of his wife, is not known to the writer; his children, however, were: Reuben, Jr., he married and moved to Jenkinsville, Tioga County, N. Y., in 1803, and there had six sons and two daughters: Moses, married Mary ———, and moved to Onondaga County, N. Y.; Nathan, married and settled in Penn Yan, N. Y.; Caleb, married and settled (1) in Greene County, and (2) in Madison or Herkimer County, N. Y.; Joel, married in his native town, and after the death of his wife, moved in 1826 to Speedwell, Tompkins Co., N. Y., where his son, Leonard, and his son-in-law, John Stearns, had previously settled, he died there; John, married and remained on the old homestead in Mendon, Mass.; David, died in Massachusetts; Sally, married Nathaniel Onley, and moved to Speedwell, Tompkins County, N. Y.; and a daughter, who never married, remained at the old homestead with her brother John, until her decease. All the male members of this family of Reuben are claimed to have served in the War of th Revolution, none injured or killed.

Moses Legg (son of Reuben Legg, Sr.), by his wife Mary, had: John, married Emma Colvin, both died in Skaneateles, N. Y., had one daughter, Juliette, who married Joel Thayer; Moses, Jr., married a Miss Chrisley; Capt. Otis, married Polly Sabin, both died in Spafford, N. Y.; Lewis, married Ruth Redway; Polly, married John Knapp; William, married Amanda Fulton, both died in Spafford, had one daughter, Eunice, who married David Becker; Sally, married Noble King; and Charles, died unmarried.

Capt. Otis Legg (son of Moses Legg, Sr.), by his wife, Polly Sabin, had: Harriet, married Philip Fisher, both dead; Alfred W., married Maria Manley, daughter of Elijah and Betsey Manley, he is dead and was buried in this ceme-

tery; Col. William W., married Minerva A. Prindle, daughter of Hon. Joseph and Elizabeth (Moore) Prindle, both deceased, and buried in Borodino cemetery; Emma, married (1) Truman Cross, and (2) Jonathan F. Woodworth, son of James and Hannah (Fish) Woodworth, both dead; and Juliette, married (1) La Grand Rathbone, and (2) Reuben T. Breed, all three dead. The Leggs were among the early settlers in this town, and first resided on the Skaneateles and Homer road, on Lot 11, Tully.)

(Spafford.)

Polly (Sabin), wife of Capt. Otis Legg. Died March 27, 1873, age 83 years, 8 months, 28 days.

“What ere may be my earthly lot
Thy name shall never be forgot,
In joy, in sorrow, hope or fear,
I'll think of thee, my mother dear.”

(Spafford.)

Alfred W. Legg, (son of Capt. Otis and Polly (Sabin) Legg). Died in Lagrange, Chautauqua County, N. Y., October 31, 1842. Age 30 years, 2 months, 2 days.

“Removed he was and buried here
By William Legg, his brother dear.”

(By his wife, Maria Manley, he had two children: Alfred Otis, and Henrietta Legg.)

(Spafford.)

Col. William W. Legg (son of Capt. Otis and Polly (Sabin) Legg). Died July 24, 1892, age 78 years.

By his wife, Minerva, he had: Philetus B., died at seven months; Marion F., died at 44 years, unmarried; an invalid from youth; Arretus M., married Mary Ann Smith, daughter of Gilbert Smith, and resides in Washington, D. C.; and Elizabeth F., married William H. Bass and resides in Borodino, N. Y.)

(Borodino.)

Minerva A. (Prindle), wife of Col. William W. Legg. Died January 7, 1888, age 68 years, 11 months.

(Borodino.)

Philetus B., son of William W. and Minerva A. (Prindle) Legg. Died October 12, 1841, age 7 months, 16 days.

“ Why dost thou fond parents grieve
 To wish the child that's dead to live?
 Why dost thou wish him back again
 To years of sorrow and pain?
 How could you wish the child you loved
 To leave those happy realms above
 To drag a tedious, wretched life
 In slavery, sickness, care and strife?”

(Spafford.)

Marion F. Legg, (son of Col. William W. and Minerva A. (Prindle) Legg). Died March 26, 1888, age 44 years, 11 months.

(Borodino.)

William Legg, (son of Moses and Mary Legg). Died November 2, 1856, age 60 years, 2 days.

(He was a merchant at one time in Borodino, and trafficked extensively in real estate in this town. By his wife, Amanda Fulton, daughter of Robert and Sarah Fulton, he had one child: Eunice, who married David Becker, son of Peter and Mary (Eadie) Becker, all dead, and buried in this cemetery.)

(Borodino.)

Amanda (Fulton), wife of William Legg. Died September 4, 1856, age 53 years, 7 days.

(Borodino.)

LELAND.

Esther (Newell), wife of James T. Leland. Died January 8, 1845, age 24 years.

(She was a daughter of Stephen and Mary (Cuykendall) Newell. Her husband resided in Homer, N. Y.; he is also dead.)

(Borodino.)

LEWIS.

Joseph Lewis, (son of Jonathan, Jr. and Sarah (Barber) Lewis. Died February 16, 1838, age 86 years, 10 months.

(Jonathan Lewis, Jr., of Exeter, R. I., married July 27, 1744, Sarah Barber of Charlestown, R. I., and by her had six children: The first two in Richmond, and the last four in Exeter, R. I.: Daniel, born July 12, 1745, married Lydia Barber, of Exeter, R. I., March 21 1770; John born Novem-

ber 10, 1746, married Amie Sheldon, of Exeter, September 28, 1777; Jean, born August 29, 1748; Joseph born April 7, 1750, married Mary Stanton of Foster, R. I., January 6, 1774; Jonathan, (3rd) born August 15, 1752, married Martha Bowdish, August 12, 1779, and Benjamin, born April 9, 1755, married Deliverance Cleveland, February 10, 1780.

Joseph Lewis (son of Jonathan), born in Exeter, R. I., April 7, 1750, and died at Spafford, February 16, 1838, married at Foster, R. I., January 6, 1774, Mary Stanton, born November 23, 1754, and died in Spafford, August 30, 1831, and by her had nine children, born in Exeter, R. I.: Susannah, born November 22, 1775, married Stephen Wilcox as his second wife, August 14, 1800; Job, born September 10, 1776, married Margaret ———, died out West; Hannah, born November 18, 1779; R. Kenyon, born February 18, 1782, married and died out West; Joseph, born July 26, 1784; Mary (Polly), born October 25, 1786, married Easton Cole at Foster, R. I., December 6, 1807, died in Michigan; Benjamin Stanton born August 26, 1789, married Betsey Whiting, daughter of Dr. Jeremiah B. Whiting, died in Ohio; Charity, born October 27, 1792, married Ambrose S. Gillett, died out West; and John R., born January 17, 1798, married Roxana Moon, daughter of Silas and Anna Moon, died in St. Charles, Illinois.)

(Lewis Yard.)

Mary (Stanton), wife of Joseph Lewis, Died August 30, 1831, age 76 years, 9 months, 7 days.

“The head that oft the pillow prest,
This aching head is now at rest.
My flesh shall slumber in the ground
’Till the last trumpet sounds,
Then burst the chain with sweet surprise
And in my Saviour’s image rise.”

(Lewis Yard.)

In memory of Mary Ann, daughter of John R. and Roxana (Moon) Lewis. Died March 18, 1831, age 6 years, 7 months, 12 days.

“When blooming youth is snatched away
By death’s relentless hand,
Our hearts the mournful tribute pay
Which pity must demand.”

(John R. Lewis, son of Joseph and Mary (Stanton) Lewis, married Roxana Moon, daughter of Silas and Anna Moon and by her had the following: Joseph, married Sarah Eddy, daughter of John Eddy, he moved to Iowa; Mary Ann, died young; Dr. Jamse, married South, resides in St. Charles, Illinois; Elizabeth, married Phineas Hutchens, Jr., he is dead and she resides at St. Charles, Illinois; and John Perry, married Mary Berry, daughter of Zara and Sophia (Hillebert) Berry, both dead, she buried in Borodino Cemetery.)

(Lewis Yard.)

Mary (Berry), wife of J. Perry Lewis. Died April 2, 1856, age 19 years, 4 months, 17 days.

(Borodino.)

Gerusha Mehitable (Angel) Lewis, (wife of Gershom Lewis). Died June 2, 1856, age 52 years.

(She was a daughter of Abraham and Anna Angell. Her husband, Gershom Lewis, was at the time of his decease a wagon maker at Spafford Corners; he is supposed to have been buried in this cemetery, but has no stone. He died of a cancer in the face. Mrs. Anna Angell, Mrs. Lewis' mother, is also buried in this cemetery. In her will, dated in 1834, and probated in 1839, she mentions her daughter, Mehitable Lewis, wife of Gershom Lewis, and Polly Sprague, wife of Peleg Sprague, as her only heirs.)

Gershom Lewis died June 2, 1853, age 52 years.

(Borodino.)

LIEBER.

Oliver Lieber. Born 1826, died 1892.

(The Spafford family of Liebers were as follows, according to the statement of one of its members: Oliver, married Maria Nodine, daughter of Jeremiah W., Sr., and Maria (Strope) Nodine; James, married Clarissa ———; Maria, married (1) Miles Riggles, and (2) Albin Coon of Thorn Hill; Rachel, married (1) a Mr. Preer, and (2) John Riggles of Georgetown, Madison County, N. Y.; Henry, moved to Taylor, Cortland County, N. Y.; Catherine, lived in Pennsylvania; Lorenzo; and George, who married Mary ———, moved West.

Oliver Lieber by his wife, Maria Nodine, had the following children: Edward, went West, residence unknown;

Andrew, married Elizabeth Cole, daughter of Joseph L. and Philura (Lyon) Cole, contractor, resides at Spafford Corners, N. Y.; Martin, married Lettie Applebee, daughter of Albert Applebee; Frank, resides unmarried in Spafford, N. Y.; and Thomas, married Susan Nearing, of Cardiff, N. Y.)

(Spafford.)

Maria (Nodine), wife of Oliver Leiber. Born in 1832, died in 1874.

(Spafford.)

Laurania, daughter of George and Mary Lieber. Died October 1, 1851, in her 17th year.

(Spafford.)

Francis M., son of James and Clarissa Lieber. Died May 15, 1851, age 6 years.

(Spafford.)

Hattie E., daughter of James and Clarissa Lieber. Died January 12, 1852, age 8 months.

(Spafford.)

John E., infant son of Andrew and Elizabeth (Cole) Lieber. Born in 1874, and died in 1876.

(Spafford.)

LOUNSBURY.

George W., son of C. D. and Sarah Lounsbury. Died February 17, 1856, age 25 years, 11 months.

(Dr. C. F. Lounsbury died at Navarino, N. Y., August 10, 1884, age 53 years, 8 months.)

(Thorn Hill.)

LYON.

Harriet (Arnold), wife of David T. Lyon. Died January 9, 1862, age 68 years, 7 months, 10 days.

(David T. Lyon was born at Ballston Springs, Saratoga County, N. Y., came to this town at an early date, and first settled at what is now known as Willow Dale, where he pursued his avocation of shoemaker, and where all his children were born, except the two youngest, who were born near Thorn Hill. From near Thorn Hill he moved to Spafford Corners and remained for a number of years. After the death of his wife he moved to the town of Lyon, Michigan, where he died. He had a number of brothers and sisters,

several of whom came to this town, but all finally moved away, among them were: Daniel, he married (1) Dorcas Darrow of Otisco, N. Y., and (2) Chirstie Ann Robertson, daughter of James and Isabel (Eadie) Robertson, and widow of Richard C. Goodrich, he finally settled in Otisco, where he died; Sally, married John Evans, he formerly resided on Lot 22, Tully, but finally moved away; Polly, married Uriah Roundy, Jr., son of Uriah and Lucretia (Needham) Roundy, they moved West; John; Samuel, he resided in Michigan, the town of Lyon in that State being named after him; Betsey, married Noah Hart of Detroit, Michigan; and Baxter, married Mary Roundy, daughter of Uriah and Lucretia (Needham) Roundy.

David T. Lyon, soon after his arrival in this town, married Harriet Arnold of Otisco, and by her had: Philura L., married Joseph L. Cole, son of Easton and Polly (Lewis) Cole; George W., married Cornelia Barker, daughter of Darius and Mary (Cooper) Barker, he is dead and his wife married for a second husband John Wallace; Charles B., born June 26, 1825, died 1893 or 1894, married Avaline Hill, daughter of Alexander and Ann (Kinyon) Hill, no issue; Cyrus S., married (1) Harriet Weston, and (2) Eliza J. Carr, resides in Spafford, N. Y.; Dr. John E., married Julia A. Wilson, he is dead, and buried in this cemetery, after his decease his widow married Joseph L. Cole, but is now deceased; and Spencer K., married a Miss Baxter, he resides West.

George W. Lyon, son of David T. Lyon, by his wife, Cornelia M. Barker, had five children: Ida M., married Martin Frink Gay, son of Barnett A. and Amanda F. (Smith) Gay, she is dead, and husband resides in Spafford, N. Y.; Rosa A., she died unmarried; William Henry, married Harriet M. Brown, daughter of Jacob and Deborah (Morris) Brown, he was a soldier of the War of 1861, is now deceased and his widow and several children (George, Viola and Emerson) reside at Glen Haven, N. Y.; George Nelson, died young; and John E., also died young.)

(Spafford.)

Charles B. Lyon, son of David T. and Harriet (Arnold) Lyon. Born June 26, 1825, died 1893 or 1894. (No stone.)
(Spafford.)

George W. Lyon, (son of David T. and Harriet (Arnold) Lyon). Died February 3, 1864, age 43 years.

"Gone Home."

(Spafford.)

George Nelson, son of Geoge W. and Cornelia M. (Barker) Lyon. Died January 27, 1855, age 1 year, 9 months, 11 days.

(Spafford.)

Rosa A. Lyon, daughter of George W. and Cornelia M. (Barker) Lyon. Died May 10, 1883, age 23 years.

(Spafford.)

John E. Lyon, son of George W. and Cornelia M. (Barker) Lyon. Died March 9, 1855.

(Spafford.)

William Henry Lyon, (son of George W. and Cornelia M. (Barker) Lyon), Company "H," 185th Regt., N. Y. Vols. Inf. Died January 8, 1876, age 31 years.

"Gone but not forgotten."

(Spafford.)

Henry Emerson, son of William Henry and Harriet M. (Brown) Lyon. Died April 27, 1893, age 23 years.

(He died unmarried.)

(Spafford.)

Dr. John E. Lyon, (son of David T. and Harriet (Arnold) Lyon. Died March 28, 1871, age 42 years.

"Only waiting."

(He was a physician and surgeon. He had no issue by his wife, Julia A. Wilson, who was from Homer. After his decease his widow married Joseph L. Cole for his second wife, but she is now deceased and buried in this cemetery. She has no stone.

(Spafford.)

MABIE.

Martin Mabie. Died July 15, 1872, age 85 years, 4 months, 5 days.

(Martin Mabie resided in Cold Brook, on Lot 43, Tully; by his wife Gertrude he had: John, resided Norwich, Chenango Co., N. Y.; Aaron, resided in Cortland, N. Y. He was a soldier of the War of 1861, dead; Maria, died unmarried, buried in this cemetery; Lucinda, married Thomas J. Taft, resides in South Spafford, N. Y.; Hiram, dead; and

Sarah, married Augustin McKay, Jr., son of Augustin and Polly (Partridge) McKay, resides at Spokane, Washington.)
(Cold Brook.)

Gertrude, wife of Martin Mabie. Died August 13, 1868, age 81 years, 6 months, 3 days. (Cold Brook.)

"Maria" Mabie (daughter of Martin and Gertrude Mabie). Born March 10, 1812, died September 29, 1884. (Cold Brook.)

MAHAR.

Mary E. (Shaw), wife of Joseph J. Mahar. Died December 22, 1878, age 43 years, 4 months, 23 days.

"Gone but not forgotten."

"And God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes,
And there shall be no more death, neither sorrow,
And crying, neither shall there be any pain,
For the former things are passed away."

Rev. 21 Ch. 4 v.

(She was a daughter of James Shaw, of Spafford Hollow. Mr. Mahar, after her decease, married a second wife from over the west side of Skaneateles Lake.)

(Cold Brook.)

MAPES.

In memory of John Mapes, who died October 26, 1826, age 44 years, 9 months, 10 days.

(There were several members of the Mapes family, that in early times resided in what is now the town of Spafford, but they all went away before 1836, and very little is known of them now. Among the names of those holding lands were: Anson; George, ("late of Walkill, Orange County, N. Y."), wife Experience; John, wife Nancy; John, Jr., and Thomas, wife Eliza. Among those who have conveyed Spafford lands, but who never lived in this town, were: Nathan Mapes and Nancy, his wife, of Southfield, Orange County, N. Y., from 1797 to 1818. Nothing more is known of this family.) (Spafford.)

MANLEY.

Jesse Manley. Died July 10, 1832, age 78 years.

(Borodino.)

Eunice, wife of Jesse Manley. Died April 20, 1853, in her 98th year.

(Borodino.)

James Manley, (son of Alanson and Margaret (Mills) Manley). Died October 13, 1879, age 27 years, 7 months.
(Borodino.)

Wyllys Manley. Died March 15, 1852, age 74 years.
(Thorn Hill.)

Russel Manley, (son of Wyllys). Died August 12, 1878, age 56 years, 6 months.

(His first wife, Orpha, died in 1855, and he then married Mary E ————. In the petition for letters of administration upon his estate, made by his wife Mary E., dated August 27, 1878, mention is made of the following children: Rosalie, wife of Ulrick Eische; Rosaltha Manley; Emeline, wife of Norris Maine, each of full age; Edith Manley, age 18 years; Sarah B. Manley, age 14 years; and Willis Manley, age 12 years, all of Skaneteles, N. Y.)

(Thorn Hill.)

Orpha, wife of Russel Manly. Died January 4, 1855, age 27 years.

(Thorn Hill.)

Elijah Manley. Died September 26, 1853, age 72 years, 11 months.

(His wife, Betsey, died in 1851. In his will, dated May 28, 1853, probated February 2, 1854, he mentions no wife, but the following children: Maria Mear, wife of John Mear; Samuel E. Manley; and Hananiah Manley; and Henrietta and Alfred Otis Legg, children of his daughter Maria, then deceased, who married Alfred W. Legg, son of Capt. Otis and Polly (Sabin) Legg.

Samuel E. Manley (son of Elijah), died in 1880, and in his will, dated August 16, 1880, and probated January 5, 1881, he mentions no wife, father, mother, brother or sister (they all then being deceased); but the following nephew and nieces: Henrietta Selkirk of Bradley, Allegan County, Mich., and Alfred Otis Legg of Skaneteles, N. Y., children of his deceased sister, Maria (Manley) Legg; and Emily Briggs, of Omaha, Nebraska, daughter of his deceased brother, Hananiah Manley.)

(Thorn Hill.)

Betsey, wife of Elijah Manley. Died February 7, 1851, age 63 years, 8 months.

(Thorn Hill.)

Elvina Manley, (daughter of Elijah and Betsey Manley).
Died December 24, 1837, age 32 years, 17 days.

(Thorn Hill.)

William N. Manley. Died September 23, 1888, age 80
years, 21 days.

(Thorn Hill.)

James C. Manley. Died January 11, 1851, age 23 years,
3 months, 14 days.

(Thorn Hill.)

Luther Manley. Died January 9, 1824, age 66 years, 9
months, 14 days.

(Thorn Hill.)

Hannah, widow of Luther Manley. Died October 7,
1835, age 78 years.

(Thorn Hill.)

Morris Manley. Died September 9, 1812, age 21 years, 8
months, 20 days.

(Thorn Hill.)

MARSHALL.

Sergeant Phineas B. Marshall (son of Lewis B. and Par-
thena (Hutchens) Marshall, Co. "D," 122 Regt., N. Y. Vols.
Inf. Died at Washington, D. C. November 23, 1862, age
21 years, 8 months.

(Lewis B. Marshall married Parthena Hutchens, daughter
of Col. Phineas and Betsey (Bocker) Hutchens, and by her
had two children: Phineas B., died unmarried; and Orpha
Rosette, died young. After the decease of Lewis B. Mar-
shall, who died before his son, his widow married Samuel
Crane for a second husband. In the application for letters
of administration upon the estate of Phineas B. Marshall,
by his uncle, Simeon R. Marshall, in 1863, mention is made
only of uncles and aunts as follows: Simeon R. Marshall,
Margaret Thompson, Caroline Patterson, Louisa McKay,
Phineas Hutchens, Orrin Hutchens and Lucy Bennett.)

(Spafford.)

Cyrenius Marshall. Died September 23, 1857, age 62
years.

(Borodino.)

Orpha Rosette, daughter of Lewis B. and Parthena
(Hutchens) Marshall. Died June 27, 1849, age 5 years, 8
months.

(Spafford.)

MARTIN.

Aaron Martin. Died October 26, 1840, age 71 years.

Lucy, wife of Aaron Martin. Died December 12, 1858 age 92 years, 4 months, 4 days.

(Borodino.)

Lucy Martin, wife of John R. Martin. Died December 17, 1840, age 31 years, 9 months, 10 days.

(Borodino.)

James Augustus, son of Lyman and Amanda Martin. Died March, 1849, age 11 years.

(Borodino.)

Lucy Maria, daughter of Lyman and Amanda Martin. Died August 10, 1850.

(Borodino.)

Rachel, wife of Wendall B. Martin. Died August 9, 1848, age 51 years, 11 months 27 days.

(Borodino.)

MASON.

Abigail (Udell), wife of Hezekiah Mason. Died May 12, 1836, age 73 years, 9 months.

(The Masons of Spafford trace their descent from Sampson Mason, shoemaker, who first appears upon the records of Dorchester, Mass., in 1651, Rehoboth, in the same State in 1657, and Swansea Mass., ten years later, where he remained until his decease in September, 1676. In religion he was a Baptist as were very generally his descendants. The name of his wife is not known, but the following are ascribed to him as his children: Sampson, Noah, John, Samuel, Sarah, Mary, James, Joseph, Bethiah, *Isaac*, Pelatiah, Benjamin and Thankful.

Isaac Mason (son of Sampson, Sr.), born July 15, 1667, was a Deacon in the Second Baptist Church of Swansea, Mass., from the time of its organization in 1693 to the date of his death January 25, 1742. By his wife Hannah, he had the following children: Hannah, Mary, Isaac, *Sampson*, Nathan, Oliver, Hannah (2), Benjamin and Mary; the first five born in Rehoboth and the balance in Swansea.

Sampson Mason (son of Isaac and Hannah Mason), born in Rehoboth, Mass., February 24, 1700, married Experience Lewis, and had the following children: Nathaniel, *Nathan*, Hannah, and Benjamin.

Rev. Nathan Mason (son of Sampson and Experience (Lewis) Mason), born November 12, 1726, was a Baptist minister. He emigrated to Nova Scotia in 1763, but returned to Swansea about 1771. He finally settled in Cheshire, Burkshire County, Mass., where he died in 1804 at the age of 80 years. Nathan Mason married July 10, 1748, Elizabeth Wood, and by her had: Chloe, *Hezekiah*, Nathan, Elizabeth, Sampson, Daniel, Bethena, and Experience; the first four born in Swansea, Mass.

Hezekiah Mason (son of Rev. Nathan and Elizabeth (Wood) Mason), born at Swansea, Mass., November 18, 1754, was also a Baptist minister, and for many years ministered over the Baptist Church at Cheshire, Mass. He was an active and influential man, both in civil and religious affairs in the latter place. On December 9, 1795, he purchased four hundred and fifty acres of land in this town, on lot 68, Marcellus, on which his two sons, Avery and Asa, settled about June 18, 1804, but he never came here to reside; if he was ever here at all his stay was only temporary, supervising the settlement of his sons Avery and Asa. His first wife, Sarah, died at Cheshire, Mass., in June, 1811, and he married in the following November, Abigail Udell, widow of William Shelden of Shepherdtown, N. Y., where Mr. Mason had then taken up his abode. He continued to reside at the latter place until his decease, March 9, 1825, (age 71), his body being taken back to Cheshire for burial. His children were: Avery, married Sally Pierce of Rehoboth, Mass.; Asa, born March 21, 1782, died March 11, 1865, married (1) Chloe Bowen, born in May, 1784, died March 17, 1811, buried old Borodino cemetery (Alexander Becker farm), no stone, and (2) Anna Shelden, daughter of William and Abigail (Udell) Shelden; Thurstin, married Mercy (or Phebe) Bourne; Anson, married Phelinda Mason, daughter of Levi Mason (third cousin); Hiram, married Maria Green, both died in Spafford; Hezekiah, married Sybil Eddy; Chloe, married a Mr. Popple; Sally, married Samuel Martin, of Cheshire, Mass.; Hannah, married Jonathan Nichols; Freelove, married a Mr. Aldridge; and perhaps two others whose names are not given.

Mrs. Mason, before her marriage to Mr. Mason, had by her first husband, William Shelden, eleven children, some

of whom came to this town and a record of whom appears in these notes under the name of Shelden.)

(Thorn Hill.)

Asa Mason, (son of Hezekiah and Sally Mason). Died March 11, 1865, age 83 years.

(He was born in Cheshire, Berkshire Co., Mass., March 21, 1782, and married January 2, 1803, Chloe Bowen, who died March 17, 1811, and was buried in the old Borodino cemetery on the Alexander Becker farm, and (2) May 10, 1812, Anna Shelden, daughter of William and Abigail (Udell) Shelden. Mr. Mason came to town about June 18, 1804. By his first wife he had: Nancy, born January 22, 1804, married February 19, 1821, Harrison Pierce, son of Major Pierce, she died in Michigan; Hezekiah, born January 16, 1806, married (1) Betsey Chapman, and moved to Michigan, where he married a second time; Elay, born January 31, 1808, died young; and Destamona Adeline, born January 11, 1810, married (1) Mason Wood, and moved to Michigan, where she married a Mr. Harrington for a second husband, (by her second husband she had four children: Polk and Dallas (twins), Maria, married a Mr. Baker, and Harriet E., married a Mr. Goss.) By his second wife, Anna Shelden, Mr. Mason had eight children: Philetus, born July 6, 1814, died young; Chloe Ann, born March 29, 1816, died young; Laura Lavender, born June 9, 1818, died young; John Leland, born January 27, 1820, married November 6, 1845, Phebe Newell, daughter of Stephen and Mary (Cuykendall) Newell; James Russell, born June 6, 1821, married February 1, 1844, Betsey Ann Hicks, he is dead; Darius Shelden, born April 4, 1823, married December 26, 1849, Harriet E. Harvey, daughter of Paul and Sally (Hiscock) Harvey, he is dead; Chloe Ann (2) born January 25, 1825, married December 27, 1849, Job Harvey, son of Paul and Sally (Hiscock) Harvey, resides (1899) in Borodino, N. Y.; and Sarah Abigail, born September 28, 1835, died young.)

(Borodino.)

Chloe Bowen, wife of Asa Mason. Died March 17, 1811, age 26 years, 10 months.

(She died of typhoid fever during the dangerous illness of her husband, and was buried in a small cemetery, now in disuse, on the Alexander Becker Farm. No stone.)

(Old Borodino Cemetery.)

Anna Shelden, wife of Asa Mason. Died September 5, 1867, in her 74 year.

(Borodino.)

James Russel Mason, son of Asa and Anna (Shelden) Mason. Born June 6, 1821, died November 7, 1882, age 62 years. (No stone.)

Hiram Mason, (son of Hezekiah and Sally Mason). Died June 4, 1877, age 83 years, 5 months, 23 days.

(He married Maria Green, and by her had: Sarah; Harriet; Elbridge E., married Almira Maxson, he is now deceased; Martin, married Laverne Maxson; Mortimer, married Esther Vail, resides in Borodino, N. Y.; Jerome, married Julia Hill, daughter of William and Mary Jane (Vincent) Hill, no issue, resides Spafford, N. Y.; Columbus; Hiram, and George W., the last three died unmarried.)

Mortimer Mason (son of Hiram and Maria (Green) Mason), by his wife, Esther Vail, had: James, married Emma Burns, daughter of John Burns, resides near Borodino, N. Y.; Hiram, married Flora Yates, resides in Syracuse, N. Y.; and Ida, married Charles Briggs, resides in Skaneateles, N. Y.)

(Spafford.)

Maria Green, widow of Hiram Mason. Born October 3, 1799, died February 24, 1890.

(Spafford.)

Elbridge E. Mason, (son of Hiram and Maria (Green) Mason. Died February 6, 1886, age 66 years.

(Borodino.)

Almira A. (widow). Born May 30, 1825, died April 21, 1902.

Anice E. Mason, daughter of Elbridge E. and Almira (Maxson) Mason. Died October 4, 1867, age 15 years.

(Borodino.)

George W., son of Hiram and Maria (Green) Mason. Died February 5, 1854, age 17 years, 6 months.

“As quick as thought Death's arrow flew
And pierced me to the heart.”

(He was drowned.)

(Spafford.)

MASTERS.

Emma A., wife of Stephen Masters. Died December 2, 1875, age 40 years, 10 months.

(Spafford Hollow.)

Adella A., daughter of Fred C. and Lydia A. Masters. Died May 5, 1886, age 4 months.

(Fred C. Masters is a son of George and B. Masters.)
(Spafford Hollow.)

"Our Baby," Alfred William, son of George and B. Masters. Died April 2, 1881, age 7 months.

(George Masters is a cousin of Stephen Masters.)
(Spafford Hollow.)

MAXSON.

Reuben Maxson. Died January 20, 1883, age 77 years, 3 months, 20 days.

(He came to this town from Scott, N. Y., where his first wife, Polly, died. He married after coming here Emeline Pressey, daughter of Moses Pressey; she is also deceased, and buried in this cemetery. (She has no stone.)

(Borodino.)

Elizabeth, daughter of Reuben and Polly Maxson. Died December 16, 1861, age 15 years.

(Borodino.)

MAYBEE.

(Maby on stone.)

Thomas, son of Stephen and Phebe Maybee. Died November 21, 1831, age 12 years, 9 months, 14 days.

(Borodino.)

MAYNARD.

Caroline, wife of Milton Maynard. Died June 7, 1883, age 52 years, 5 months.

(Milton Maynard married for a second wife Eliza Bennett, daughter of Stephen and Waity (Hill) Bennett.)

(Borodino.)

Mary E., wife of Adelbert Maynard. Died June 1, 1878, age 24 years, 5 months, 11 days.

(Adelbert Maynard, son of Milton and Caroline Maynard, married (1) Mary E. Smith, and (2) Lydia Howe, daughter of Henry Howe.)

(Borodino.)

Henry, son of Moses and Sally Maynard. Died April 20, 1842, age 5 years, 11 months.

(Borodino.)

McCAUSEY.

Mary (Coon), wife of Charles McCausey. Died October 13, 1859, age 44 years.

“A faithful wife and mother.”

(Charles McCausey, 1815-1901, married (1) Mary Coon, 1816-1859, (2) ——— Eggleston, and (3) ——— Williams.)
(Borodino.)

McDANIELS.

John McDaniels, (son of Timothy McDaniels). Died April 7, 1873, age 82 years, 8 months, 22 days.

(According to family tradition Timothy McDaniels came to this country from Ireland, and settled in New York City, where he died of Asiatic cholera, leaving two small children: John and Bridget, who, after his decease, were taken to Goshen, Orange Co., N. Y., and reared in the family of Judge Wickham. Subsequently the daughter Bridget married George D. Wickham, the only child and son of her foster father, Judge Wickham. George D. Wickham became a large land holder, and among his other possessions owned the principal parts of Lots 44, Tully, and Lot 14, Sempronius, in this town, and at an early date, John McDaniels, under a contract from his brother-in-law, Mr. Wickham, settled on the latter of said lots, and then on 100 acres on the northwest corner of the former of said lots, where he remained until the date of his decease. Before coming to this town, Mr. McDaniels (born July 15, 1790) married Polly Hankins (born August 31, 1793), and by her had the following children: Eliza A., born July 15, 1812, died March 16, 1867, married Jeremiah Whiting, she was buried in Scott, N. Y.; George W., born August 31, 1814, died at Onondaga Valley, N. Y., March 13, 1898, married Elizabeth Winans, who also died at Onondaga Valley, N. Y., March 18, 1898, at the age of 70 years; Caroline B., born November 13, 1816, died May 22, 1877, married Peter Ellis Taft, son of Ellis and Cynthia (Knapp) Taft, she was buried in Auburn, N. Y.; Emily B., born October 17, 1818, died May 1, 1896, married Jerum Babcock, she was buried in Scott, N. Y.; John Nelson, born March 3, 1822, married Annis Perkins, daughter of Hopkins and Polly Perkins, wife dead and he was living in Buffalo, N. Y., in 1897; Bridget, born June 6, 1824, died in February, 1894, married (1) Chris-

topher Dego, (2) Ziba D. Baker; Benjamin, born October 21, 1826, died December 15, 1891, married Cynthia Baker, daughter of Ziba D. and Sally Ann (Taft) Baker; Julia A., born February 22, 1829, married Joseph L. Cole, as his third wife, she is living in 1899 in Spafford, N. Y.; Richard H., born June 24, 1831, married (1) _____, and (2) Mary Hopkins, living in 1897; Edgar B., born July 30, 1833, married and living in 1897 in Vermillion, S. Da.; and Mary, born January 8, 1835, married Orrin Hutchens, son of Col. Phineas and Betsey (Bocker) Hutchens, no issue, residing 1899 in Spafford, N. Y.)

(Spafford.)

Polly (Hankins), wife of John McDaniels. Died December 24, 1882, age 84 years, 3 months, 24 days.

(Spafford.)

Benjamin McDaniels, (son of John and Polly (Hankins) McDaniels). Died December 15, 1891, age 65 years.

(He married Cynthia Baker, daughter of Ziba D. and Sally Ann (Taft) Baker, and by her had one son: Charles B. McDaniels, born August 21, 1871, unmarried, residing at Spafford, N. Y., in 1899.)

(Spafford.)

John W., son of George W. and Elizabeth (Winans) McDaniels. Died February 13, 1866, age 12 years, 4 months, 27 days.

(Cold Brook.)

McDUFFEE.

In memory of Ruth McDuffee, (daughter of James McDuffee). Died August 22, 1840.

(James McDuffee was an Irishman, and by trade a carpenter.)

(Borodino.)

McKAY.

Augustin McKay, (son of Sylvester and Elizabeth (Bostich) McKay). Died August 21, 1849, age 62 years, 2 months, 13 days.

(Sylvester McKay, born August 2, 1760, died in 1804, was a son of Alexander and Mary (Sackett) McKay.

Alexander McKay, born February 19, 1732, died in 1812, was a son of Elkanah McKay, who, family tradition says, was born in Edinburgh, Scotland, about 1700.

Sylvester McKay, by his wife Elizabeth Bostich, had the following children: Silas, born July 7, 1783, died July 30, 1843; Philo, born July 28, 1785; Augustus, born June 8, 1787, died August 21, 1849, married (1) October 15, 1809, Polly Partridge of Northampton, N. Y., and (2) June 16, 1839, Julia Chappel, widow of Dr. Ithamer C. Day; Betsey; born October 1, 1791; Joseph, born July 12, 1789; Lois, born October 25, 1793; Polly, born February 28, 1796; Daniel, July 18, 1798; and Sylvester, born March 4, 1801, died in June, 1850, at Colden, N. Y.

Augustin McKay (son of Sylvester and Elizabeth (Bostich) McKay), by his first wife, Polly Partridge, had the following children: Paulina Weed, born February 3, 1813; Frederick, born June 11, 1814, died August 12, 1881, married Louisa Hutchens, daughter of Col. Phineas and Betsey (Bocker) Hutchens October 8, 1837; Arzena, born February 10, 1816, died March 16, 1849, married Alexander Churchell, son of James and Hannah (Dobbs) Churchell; Lydia Wood, born March 30, 1818, died June 14, 1843; Polly P., born September 30, 1821, married Justin N. Knapp, husband dead, and she resides in Cold Brook, Spafford, N. Y.; and Augustin, born June 9, 1826, married Sarah A. Mabie, daughter of Martin and Gertrude Mabie, he now resides 1601 Boone Ave., Spokane, Washington. Mr. Augustin McKay had no issue by second wife; he came to this town from Otisco, N. Y.

Frederick McKay, (son of Augustin and Polly (Partridge) McKay, by his wife Louisa Hutchens, had two children: Perry, born January 18, 1841, married (1) November 18, 1869, Edna Brownell, daughter of Edward J. and Rachel (Martin) Brownell, and (2) Abby Arnold, widow of Albert Carr; and Mary, born November 20, 1845, died August 31, 1865, unmarried.)

(Spafford.)

Polly (Partridge), wife of Augustin McKay. Died June 7, 1838, age 54 years, 1 month, 26 days.

“She has gone to a mansion of rest,
From a region of sorrow and pain,
To the glorious land of the blest
Where she can never suffer again.”

(Spafford.)

Frederick McKay, (son of Augustin and Polly (Partridge) McKay). Died August 19, 1881, age 67 years.

(Spafford.)

Louisa (Hutchens), wife of Frederick McKay. Died May 2, 1883, age 67 years.

(She was born in Spafford, October 19, 1815.)

(Spafford.)

Mary, daughter of Frederick and Louisa (Hutchens) McKay. Died August 31, 1865, age 19 years.

(Spafford.)

Birdie, infant daughter of Perry and Edna (Brownell) McKay. Died July 12, 1871, age 3 days.

“Only sleeping.”

(Edna Brownell, first wife of Perry McKay, is also deceased, and buried in this cemetery; also one son, Irving, a youth, and a son, Rause. No stone.)

(Spafford.)

MEAR.

Edward Mear. Died May 10, 1890, age 34 years.

(Thorn Hill.)

MELLEN.

Maria H., wife of James K. Mellen. Died February 27, 1853, in her 57th year.

(James Mellen was a brother of Dr. David Mellen, of Hudson, N. Y., who married Mary Taft, sister of Bezaleel and Ellis Taft, of Cold Brook.)

(Cold Brook.)

Nathaniel, son of Nathaniel K. and Ruth C. Mellen. Died March 5, 1839, age 6 months, 29 days.

(Nathaniel K. Mellen was a nephew of Dr. David Mellen of Hudson, N. Y.)

(Cold Brook.)

MELVIN.

Jabez Melvin. Died December 25, 1856, age 84 years.

(By his wife Rebecca he had the following children: Abiathar, married (1) Jane Wallace, sister of William and cousin of John Wallace, and (2) Elizabeth Robertson, daughter of James J. and Isabel (Eadie) Robertson; Malinda, died unmarried; Leonard, died unmarried; and Samantha, died unmarried.)

(Spafford.)

Rebecca, wife of Jabez Melvin. Died November 7, 1845, age 73 years.

(Spafford.)

Abiathar Melvin, (son of Jabez and Rebecca Melvin). Died May 14, 1852, age 48 years, 28 days.

“ Dear companion, thou hast left us,
And thy loss we deeply feel,
But 'tis God that hath bereft us,
He can all our sorrows heal.”

(By his two wives he had five children: Betsey Ann, died at 16 years; Calvin A., died at 10 months; two infant daughters died in infancy; and James J. Melvin.)

(Spafford.)

Jane (Wallace), wife of Abiathar Melvin. Died May 31, 1844, age 33 years, 28 days.

“ Afflictions sore a long time she bore,
Physicians were in vain,
'Till God did please to give her ease
And take her from her pain.”

(Spafford.)

Also two infant daughters of Abiathar and Jane (Wallace) Melvin. Died December 2, 1839, and December 23, 1842.

(Spafford.)

Betsey Ann, daughter of Abiathar and Jane (Wallace) Melvin. Died November 28, 1857, age 16 years, 5 months, 12 days.

(Spafford.)

Calvin A., son of Abiathar and Elizabeth (Robertson) Melvin. Died March 7, 1851, age 10 months, 13 days.

(Spafford.)

Malinda Melvin, (daughter of Jabez and Rebecca Melvin). Died October 29, 1875, in the 67th year of her age.

(Borodino.)

Leonard Melvin, (son of Jabez and Rebecca Melvin). Died October 4, 1864, age 53 years, 5 months, 29 days.

(Spafford.)

Samantha Melvin, (daughter of Jabez and Rebecca Melvin). Died May 23, 1884, age 70 years.

(Borodino.)

MERRET.

Elizabeth, wife of James Merrit, and daughter of James and Ann Martindale. Born at Reddington, England, October 13, 1791. Died March 29, 1845.

(Borodino.)

MILLARD.

Abel Millard. Died October 25, 1885, age 39 years, 9 months.

(He was born in England.)

(Thorn Hill.)

MILLS.

Alexander Mills. Died July 11, 1888, age 98 years.

"Rest in peace."

(Mr. Mills had a daughter, Margaret, who married Alanson, Manley, and a son, Alexander, who never came to this town, but resided in Canada.)

(Borodino.)

In memory of Timothy Mills. Died April 21, 1818, age 72 years, 5 months, 29 days.

(His wife, Sophia, survived him. Letters of administration were taken out upon his estate by his son, Isaac Mills, April 27, 1818.)

(Thorn Hill.)

In memory of Sophia Mills, (wife of Timothy Mills). Died March 22, 1823, age 78 years, 7 months, 15 days.

(Thorn Hill.)

Isaac Mills, (son of Timothy and Sophia Mills). Died February 20, 1863, age 83 years.

(Isaac Mills married (1) Polly Berry, sister of Jonathan Berry, and (2) Prudy Hyde daughter of Oliver and Polly Hyde. In his will, dated December 19, 1855, probated May 18, 1863, and in the petition presented to Court, mention is made of the following children: Timothy Mills of Marcellus (married Polly Wiltsie); Betsey Wiltsie of Palermo, Oswego County, N. Y.; Ruth Johnson, of Cleveland, Ohio; and of his grandchildren: Julia S., and Helen Adelle Mills, children of his deceased son, Nelson Mills, formerly of Marcellus, N. Y. No mention is made of any children or descendants of his other deceased son, William Mills, who died in 1851.)

Isaac Mills came to this town from Saratoga County, N. Y., where a part at least of his children were born. He was a soldier in the War of 1812.

Timothy Mills, (son of Isaac and Polly (Berry) Mills), born in Saratoga County, N. Y., died in Marcellus, December 4, 1888, married Polly Wiltsie, she died February, 1892. Their son, George C. Mills, born at Marcellus, April 9, 1843, married Eliza J. Finch, who were father and mother of Frank B. Mills, the noted seed man at Rose Hill, in the town of Marcellus, N. Y., and also of William E. Mills, Postmaster at the same place. Frank B. Mills, born at Thorn Hill, in the town of Marcellus, August 3, 1866, is one of the most remarkable as well as one of the most successful business men in the County of Onondaga; he married June 16, 1892, Grace Ackles, daughter of Samuel and Mary (Harvey) Ackles, of the town of Spafford, N. Y. For a more extended account of Mr. Frank B. Mills' business career, see Bruce's Centennial History of Onondaga County, Vol. 2, page 31.)

(Thorn Hill.)

Prudy (Hyde), wife of Isaac Mills. Born October 12, 1790, died October 17, 1852.

(Thorn Hill.)

William Mills, (son of Isaac Mills). Born March 24, 1819, died March 20, 1851.

(Thorn Hill.)

Nelson Mills, (son of Isaac Mills). Died February 13, 1857, age 25 years, 3 months.

(Thorn Hill.)

MINER.

Luke Miner. Born September 11, 1767, died September 2, 1839.

(Mr. Miner came to this town from Victory, N. Y.; he was a saddler by trade. He died suddenly while eating dinner at Roundy's Tavern at Spafford Corners, on the occasion of a military company training. Nothing is known of his wife or of any children, except his son, Peres Miner, who resided in this town and married Lucia Norton, daughter of David and Dinah (Wilton) Norton.)

(Cold Brook.)

Peres Miner, (son of Luke Miner). Born August 4, 1800, died November 1, 1851.

(Peres Miner, by his wife Lucia Norton, had the following children: Adeline, married Chandler B. Heath, of Truxton, N. Y.; Laura, married John P. Taft, son of Bezaleel and Nancy Ann (Palmer) Taft; Seymour L., married Aurelia Atwater, (his son, Prof. H. F. Miner is now (1899) Principal of Skaneateles Academy); George W., married Phebe Potter of Taylor, both are now living, they have a son, Benton, who lives at Union Valley, N. Y.; Oscar P., married Julia Benson of Tyler, Cortland County, N. Y., where he has been Supervisor, he now resides in Cortland, N. Y., (they have two sons, Floyd B. and Carroll P. Miner); and Lucia A. Miner, married Isaac P. Brown of Taylor, who died in 1888 and left one child, Lucia. Peres Miner was a teacher and farmer. He was frequently called upon to act as School Commissioner and Inspector of Schools in his adopted town, and at all times was more or less prominent in town affairs. His wife, Lucia, after his decease, married Bezaleel Taft for his second wife, and subsequent thereto a Mr. Perry of Homer, for her third husband.

(Cold Brook.)

Lucia (Norton), wife of Peres Miner. Born January 20, 1809, died August 7, 1866.

(Cold Brook.)

Turner Miner. Died August 7, 1840, age 76 years.

(Thorn Hill.)

MOON.

Benjamin Moon. Died August 25, 1873, age 60 years, 4 months.

(This inscription is in part repeated on the stone at the grave of Mr. Moon's wife, Jane, who was buried at Borodino. Mr. Moon is supposed to have been a son of Silas Moon, Sr., who also resided and died in this town.)

(Spafford.)

Jane, wife of Benjamin Moon. Died January 2, 1884, age 47 years, 5 months, 7 days.

(Borodino.)

(Silas Moon, Sr., came to this town early and resided on lot 41, Tully; by his wife, Anna, he had the following children: Roxana, married John R. Lewis, son of Joseph and Mary (Stanton) Lewis, she died in Illinois; Elizabeth, married Joseph Prindle, son of Samuel Prindle; Silas, Jr.,

married Anna ———; Zenas, married Abigail ———; and perhaps Benjamin, who married Jane ———, died and was buried in Spafford, as stated above. Silas Moon, Sr., and his wife, Anna, are supposed to have been buried in the Lewis Private Yard in Spafford. No stone.

Zenas Moon, (son Silas, Sr., and Anna Moon), by his wife Abigail, had the following children: Abigail, married Truman Brown of Thorn Hill, N. Y.; Mary A., died unmarried; Lucy, resides in Skaneateles, N. Y.; Harriet A., died unmarried; Alanson, married Elizabeth ———, (they were father and mother of William Henry Moon, who was a private in Company "I," 149th Regt., N. Y. Vols. Inf., in the war of 1861, was killed in the battle of Peach Tree Creek, Ga., July 20, 1864, and buried in the National Cemetery at Marietta, Ga.); and Wesley, married Theresa Gay, daughter of Barnet A. and Amanda F. (Smith) Gay, he resides in Spafford, N. Y.)

Harriet A., daughter of Zenas and Abigail Moon. Died December 23, age 17 years.

(Spafford.)

Mary A., daughter of Zenas and Abigail Moon. Died October 20, 1862, age 28 years.

(Spafford.)

Cortiz A., son of Alanson and Elizabeth Moon. Died ——— 10, 1864, age 15 years, 8 months, 4 days.

(Spafford.)

Moses E., son of Wesley and Theresa (Gay) Moon. Died November 13, 1862, age 8 months, 15 days.

'Taken from Earth to bloom in Heaven.'

(Spafford.)

MOREY.

Walter D., son of Charles and Sarah M. (Eddy) Morey. Died December 10, 1876, age 7 months, 17 days.

(Mrs. Morey was a daughter of Richard M. Eddy; her husband probably came from Washington County, N. Y.)

(Borodino.)

MORGAN.

Flora A. Churchell, wife of William H. Morgan. Died June 13, 1885, age 33 years, 6 months.

(Mrs. Morgan died in Scott, where her husband then

resided; she was a daughter of George and Eveline (Norton) Churchell.)

(Borodino.)

Flaurence, daughter of William H. and Flora A. (Churchell) Morgan. Died November 16, 1887, age 6 years, 6 months.

(Borodino.)

MORRIS.

Jane (Springer), wife of Samuel Morris. Died December 29, 1875, age 84 years, 4 months, 28 days.

“Dear Mother, we miss thee.”

(Samuel Morris, according to family tradition, came at an early date from the eastern part of this State, with a yoke of oxen, and settled at the head of the Gulf Road, in the Town of Sempronius, Cayuga County, N. Y. He had been married before coming to this part of the State, but had lost his wife, and nothing is known of her or her children, if she had any. Soon after coming to Sempronius he married Jane Springer, and by her had the following children, all born in Sempronius: Deborah, born April 7, 1815, married Jacob Brown, he is dead, and buried in this cemetery, and she is residing, in 1899, at Glen Haven, N. Y.; Samuel, born January 8, 1817, married Laura Johnson of Washington County, N. Y.; Simeon, born June 30, 1818, married (1) Lavina Harrington, and (2) Polly Harrington, both daughters of John and Catherine Harrington of this town; Diadama, born December 2, 1821, married William Havens of Seneca Falls, N. Y.; Paulina, born May 1, 1825, married Reuben Barber, son of Rathbone Barber, Sr., and Roby (Wilcox) Barber; Uriah born March 6, 1827, married Frances Worden, daughter of Truman and Phebe (Harrington) Worden, both residing in 1899 at Glen Haven, N. Y.; and Washington, born March 9, 1829, married (1) Abigail E. Havens, daughter of Ebenezer and Laura (Pettis) Havens, and (2) Catherine Hibbard. Mr. Samuel Morris died and was buried in Sempronius, N. Y.

Uriah Morris (son of Samuel and Jane (Springer) Morris), married Frances Worden, (born September 8, 1831), and by her had the following children (all born near Glen Haven): William, born April 11, 1847, married Eunice Evans, of Townsend, Schuyler County, N. Y.. re-

sides at Glen Haven N. Y., (four children, son and daughter living, and two dead, and buried in this cemetery, no stone); George, born August 14, 1850, married Susan Wilber of Delhi, Delaware County, N. Y., resides in the Town of Niles, Cayuga County, N. Y.; Harrison, born August 19, 1852, died 1896, married Mary Barber, daughter of Rathbone, Jr., and Julania (Harris) Barber, (two living children: Blanche and Mattie), wife and children residing (1899) in Skaneateles, N. Y.; Edwin, born May 13, 1855, married Flora Ripley, daughter of Amon J. and Harriet (Carr) Ripley, both residing in Spafford, N. Y. (large family of small children); Phebe Jane, born July 17, 1857, married Adelbert Craig of Spafford, N. Y.; Julia, born November 29, 1861, married George Raymond of Seneca Falls, N. Y.; Joseph Arthur, born October 3, 1866, married Edith Landers of Niles, Cayuga County, N. Y.; and Freddie, born April 18, 1873, married Nellie Fitzgerald of Syracuse, N. Y., resides at Glen Haven, N. Y.)

(Spafford.)

Harrison Morrison, son of Uriah and Frances (Worden) Morris. Born August 19, 1852, died ———, 1896. No stone.

(Spafford.)

Guy E., son of Harrison and Mary (Barber) Morris. Died November 11, 1881, age 3 years, 21 days.

(Spafford.)

MORTON.

Willie, son of Orson B. and Sarah A. (Bass) Morton. Died August 18, 1881, age 5 years.

(Mrs. Morton was a daughter of William and Catherine (Eglin) Bass.)

(Borodino.)

In memory of the life of Rev. Salmon Morton. Died January 22, 1822, in the 55th year of his age and the 23rd of his ministry.

“The Truth he preached in health and life supported him
In sickness and death, and when legions of Angels
Can't confine him here, will be his song forever.”

(Thorn Hill.)

MORSE.

Matthias Morse, (commonly called Moss), at an early date resided at the foot of the "Bucktail," in Spafford Hollow, and had a wife and several children, the names of whom are not known, except his son John, and his daughter, Mary A., who married John Lansdown. He was the proprietor and manufacturer of "Morse's Salve." His brothers and sisters were: Voluntine, died unmarried; Joseph, died in Tully; Ebenezer, of Homer, N. Y.; John, of Tully, N. Y.; Sally; Jane; and Isaac, who married Sally White and resided in Tully, N. Y. Matthias Morse's father was Joseph Morse, and resided in Mamakating, N. Y., where probably Matthias was born. It is claimed that Matthias Morse was of the sixth generation in descent from Anthony Morse, who settled in Newbury, Mass., in 1635, as follows: Matthias, Joseph, Voluntine, Joshua, Robert, Anthony.

MOSS.

William Moss. Died June 2, 1881, age 51 years.

(Mr. Moss came to this town from Marcellus, N. Y., and resided at the time of his decease on the Elias Jacobs Farm, in Spafford Hollow.)

(Spafford Hollow.)

Julia L., daughter of William and Mary Moss. Died March 14, 1887, age 37 years.

(Spafford Hollow.)

MOXEY.

Charles Moxey. Died February 20, 1882, age 59 years, 1 month.

(Mr. Moxey was an Englishman; after his decease his widow ———, married Henry Hazzard of Scott, N. Y.)

(Spafford Hollow.)

NASH.

Orland M., son of William and Lydia Nash. Died December 6, 1841, age 1 year 1 months, 6 days.

(Borodino.)

NESBIT.

Nancy (Wallace) Nesbit, (wife of Robert Nesbit).
Died October 8, 1881, age 72 years.

“Our Mother.”

(Nancy Wallace was born in Ireland, and was the sister of John Wallace and Matilda Wallace, wife of Alexander Gordon, all of this town; her husband, Robert Nesbit, died in Canada. She was the mother of James and William Nesbit, both residents of this town, the latter being a member of Company “G,” 149th Regt. N. Y. Vols. Inf., in the War of 1861.)

(Borodino.)

Norah J., daughter of James and Jane Ann (Streeter) Nesbit. Died ———, 18—, age 2 years, 6 months, 17 days.

“Our Baby.” “Only Sleeping.”

(James Nesbit, son of Robert and Nancy (Wallace) Nesbit, married Jane Ann Streeter, daughter of William and Elizabeth (Russel) Streeter, formerly of Skaneateles, N. Y.)

(Borodino.)

NEWELL.

Stephen Newell. Died June 11, 1864, age 69 years, 9 months, 6 days.

(Mr. Newell was a Quaker, and resided on Lot 12, Sempronius, in this town; by his wife, Mary Cuykendall, he had the following children: Henry, married Marion B. Skellie, daughter of William I. and Elizabeth (Boughton) Skellie; Phebe, married John Leland Mason, son of Asa and Anna (Shelden) Mason, November 6, 1845; Mary, born November 27, 1833, died December 13, 1895, married Alexander Becker, son of Peter and Mary (Eadie) Becker, husband resides (1899) in Syracuse, N. Y.; Martha L. Newell; Jenette Odell, of Clarence, Michigan; and Esther, married James L. Leland, she died January 8, 1845, age 24 years, and is buried in this cemetery.)

(Borodino.)

Mary (Cuykendall), wife of Stephen Newell. Died April 27, 1871, age 71 years, 3 months, 19 days.

“We loved her.”

(Borodino.)

NEWVILLE.

Abraham Newville. Born 1788, died 1866.

(He married Sarah Case, sister of Isaac Case, and by her had two children: Alexander C. and Clementha Judson Newville, both of whom died unmarried.)

(Borodino.)

Sarah Case, wife of Abraham Newville. Born 1788, died 1838.

(Borodino.)

Alexander C. Newville, (son of Abraham and Sarah (Case) Newville.) Born 1816, died 1891.

(Borodino.)

Clemencia Judson Newville, (daughter of Abraham and Sarah (Case) Newville). Born 1815, died 1879.

(Borodino.)

NICHOLS.

Charles Nichols. Died March 23, 1879, age 61 years.

(He married Arvilla M. Case, daughter of Isaac and Mary Case, and by her had one child: Hattie M. Nichols, born in 1867, she was still living at the time of her father's decease.)

(Borodino.)

Arvilla M. (Case), wife of Charles Nichols. Died March 9, 1886, age 55 years.

(Borodino.)

Hattie May, only daughter of Charles and Arvilla M. (Case) Nichols.

(She married, and resided in Homer or Cortland, N. Y. S. Smith.)

(Borodino.)

NILES.

(For the Niles family see *Bierce*, under the letter B.)

NOBLE.

Margaret C., daughter of John and Sally (Stanton) Noble. Died October 1, 1844, age 21 years.

(John Noble married Sally Stanton, daughter of John and Mary (Shearman) Stanton.)

(Stanton Yard.)

Seborah, daughter of John and Sally (Stanton) Noble. Died April 7, 1832, age 24 years, 11 months.

(John Noble was a brother of Benjamin Stanton's first wife, Sally Noble.)

(Stanton Yard.)

NODINE.

Maria (Strope), wife of Jeremiah W. Nodine, Sr. Died April 22, 1876, age 80 years, 5 months.

(Jeremiah W. Nodine, Sr., married (1) Maria Strope, daughter of Peter and Louisa Strope, and (2) Mary J. Riggles, daughter of Milo Riggles, and former wife of Orville Churchill. By his first wife he had the following children: Jeremiah W., Jr., married (1) a Stevens (2) an Alvord, and (3), Jane Williams, daughter of Abigail Williams, (by the latter he had several children), he is dead, and buried in this cemetery, (no stone); James, died in 1837; Andrew, was killed by a falling tree in 1843; Fred, married West and settled in Union, Oregon; Nelson, married a Riggles and resides in Spafford; Maria, married Oliver Lieber, both died in Spafford; a daughter married a Mr. Wood and resides in Iowa; and still another daughter, who married a Mr. Cummings of Onondaga, and is now a widow residing at Battle Creek, Mich. Jeremiah W. Nodine, Sr., is also deceased and buried in this cemetery. (No stone.)

(Cold Brook.)

James Nodine, (son of Jeremiah W., Sr., and Maria (Strope) Nodine). Died April 13, 1837, age 20 years, 9 months, 9 days.)

“Stay, hasty youth, and view my tomb,
Nor vainly boast of years to come,
Your body made of brittle clay
Will quickly fall and drop away.”

(Cold Brook.)

Andrew, son of Jeremiah W. (Sr.) and Maria (Strope) Nodine. Died March 24, 1843, age 8 years, 6 months, 24 days.

(Cold Brook.)

Flora, daughter of Jeremiah W. (Jr.) and Jane (Williams) Nodine. Died July 18, 1878, age 1 year, 1 month, 20 days.

(Cold Brook.)

Anna M., daughter of Jeremiah (Jr.) and Jane (Williams) Nodine. Died January 20, 1876, age 18 years.

(Cold Brook.)

NORTH.

Alida Vandenburgh, wife of Benjamin F. North. Died May 1, 1851, age 71 years.

“At Rest.”

(Thorn Hill.)

NORTON.

David Norton, (son of Ozias Norton). Died June 2, 1860, age 87 years, 24 days.

(Ozias Norton lived and died in Litchfield, Conn. He had: David, Moses, Ziba, Newton, Jonathan and perhaps others; of these, David and Moses only came to this town.

David Norton (son of Ozias), born at Litchfield, Conn., May 9, 1773, died in Spafford and buried in Cold Brook, N. Y., married at Litchfield, Conn., December 19, 1791, Dinah Wilton, born June 25, 1770, and by her had the following children: Lucena, born June 23, 1792, died November 21, 1880, married B—— Barber; Almira, born January 15, 1794, died in Wellsboro, Penn., married Joseph Kibbie; Orenda, born August 15, 1795, died December 28, 1817, married Philo Barber; Lauren, born July 11, 1797 (twin), died in Ohio, married Prudence Town; Leonard, born July 11, 1797 (twin) died July 29, 1845, married Polly Barto; Clarissa, born March 14, 1799, died October 7, 1864, married Daniel Pulsipher, moved with the Mormon Colony to Salt Lake, Utah; Omer, born December 12, 1801, died August 13, 1849, married Mary A. Bassett; Orange, born July 21, 1803, he was drowned in Pickets' Mill Pond in Cold Brook, with a Pease and a Weston boy, June 24, 1816; Harvey, born April 25, 1805, died February 15, 1885, married Sally Merry; Stephen, born May 9, 1807, died January 21, 1844 married January 24, 1828, Else Ripley, daughter of Jonathan and Ruth (Corey) Ripley; Lucia, born January 20, 1809, died August 7, 1886, married (1) Peres Miner and (2) Bezaleel Taft as his second wife; Ziba, born September 18, 1810, died May 14, 1832, unmarried; Seymour, born September 6, 1812, married Sally Lyman at Roulett, Potter County, Pa., January 19, 1837, both residing (1899) in Spafford, N. Y.; and Samantha, born April 11, 1815, married Samuel Hall, now 1897, residing in Illinois. From Litchfield, Conn., Mr. David Norton first settled in German, Chenango County,

N. Y., and from there came to this town in 1814, and settled on what was afterwards known as the McDaniels Farm, in the northwest corner of lot 44, Tully, Cold Brook. From there he moved to Truxton, N. Y., but died in this town.

(Cold Brook.)

Dinah (Wilton), wife of David Norton. Died February 7, 1844, age 73 years, 7 months, 13 days.

'Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord.'

(Cold Brook.)

Sally Merry, wife of Harvey Norton. Died October 6, 1839, age 29 years.

"Gone but not forgotten."

(Harvey Norton was a son of David and Dinah (Wilton) Norton.)

(Cold Brook.)

Martha A., daughter of Lauren and Prudence (Town) Norton. Died October 19, 1835, age 7 years, 6 days.

"Sleep on, sweet babe, and take thy rest,
God called thee when he saw it best."

(Lauren Norton was a son of David and Dinah (Wilton) Norton.)

(Cold Brook.)

Stephen Norton, (son of David and Dinah (Wilton) Norton). Died January 21, 1844, age 36 years.

(Stephen Norton married Else Ripley, daughter of Jonathan and Ruth (Corey) Ripley, and by her had two children: Vinal, resides at Brookins, Brookins County, Dakota; and Parmenas, married Sarah Viola Rice, daughter of Thomas and Mary (Homan) Rice, and resides in Spafford, N. Y. These two sons were brought up by Seymour Norton, their uncle.)

(Spafford.)

Elsie (Ripley), wife of Stephen Norton. Died January 8, 1844, age 36 years.

(Spafford.)

Esther, daughter of Erastus and Mary (Isdell) Norton. Died March 2, 1856, age 5 years, 20 days.

(Erastus Norton was a son of Moses and a grandson of Ozias Norton, both of Litchfield, Conn. Moses Norton married Percy Barber, and came to this town at an early date and settled on Lot 33, Tully, and from there moved to Eaton Rapids, Mich., where he died. His father, Ozias,

it is claimed, was a soldier in the Revolution, and that Moses was a soldier in the War of 1812. By his wife, Percy Barber, Moses Norton had the following children, part or all of whom were born in this town: Lauren, married Lydia Bacon, daughter of John Bacon; Everis, married Catherine Picket; Harmon, married ——— Pullman; Bird, married and resided West; killed in War of 1861; Philo, married and resided West; Erastus, born September 3, 1818, dead, married Mary Isdell, daughter of Andrew and Mary (Harris) Isdell, wife resides in Spafford, N. Y.; Peris L., married Sarah A. Thayer, daughter of Sanford W. G. and Sally (Miner) Thayer; Theda, married Peter Picket; Esther, married Royal Pulsipher; and Amanda, married a Mr. Williams, of Appalaccean, Pa.

Erastus Norton, (son of Moses and Percy Barber Norton) married in Spafford, Mary Isdell, and by her had the following children, all born in Spafford: Emily, married Charles Burdick, son of Christopher A. and Eugenia Jane (Nash) Burdick, resides in Spafford, N. Y.; Mary Jane, resides at home, unmarried; Willard, married Mary A. Doty, daughter of Warren and Emily (Tinkham) Doty, (they have one daughter, Angeline, unmarried), resides in Homer, N. Y., Carpenter, member of 122d N. Y. Vols. Inft., War of 1861, has been Supervisor of this town; Perry, married Nancy Van Benschoten, she is dead, four children—he was a member of Company I, 149th N. Y. Vols. Inft., War of 1861, resides at Glen Haven, N. Y.; Helen, married Wallace Gordon, husband dead, she resides in Spafford, N. Y. (two children, Edith and Maud); Ida, married Charles Emerson Barker, son of William and Betsey Ann (Knapp) Barker, residing at Spafford (one child), Merritt C. Barker, attending a medical college at Cleveland, O.; and Bruce Isdell, married Mary Howard, of Gloversville, N. Y. (no issue). Erastus Norton was a carpenter by trade, has been Town Collector and Town Clerk.)

(Cold Brook.)

Myron, son of Lauren and Lydia (Bacon) Norton. Died August 4, 1832, age 8 years, 1 month.

“So fond desires are often crossed,
And parents' hopes in death are lost.”

(Lauren Norton was a son of Moses and Percy (Barber) Noton.) (Cold Brook.)

(Robert Norton married Susan Hill, sister of Alexander Hill, formerly of Scott, N. Y., and came from Cambridge, Washington County, N. Y., and settled on Ripley Hill, near the county line. This family is supposed to have buried its dead in Scott, N. Y., but by reason of its connection with Spafford families, its record is given here. The children of Mr. and Mrs. Norton, as shown by the public records were: Horace, married (1) Prudence Frink, and (2) in Scott, N. Y., in 1898 he resided in San Francisco, Cal.; Peter, resided in San Francisco, Cal.; Reuben, resided in San Francisco, Cal.; James Hill, married Charlotte Barker, daughter of Darius and Mary (Cooper) Barker, died in 1879, and left no wife or issue; Harriet, married Dr. Robert Sidney, she died in Scott, N. Y.; Mary A. Norton, resides in Scott, N. Y.; Eveline, married George Churchell, son of Peter and Lucinda (Crane) Churchell); Angeline, married Horace Prindle, son of Joseph and Elizabeth (Moon) Prindle, husband dead and she resides in Syracuse, N. Y.; Edward, married and resided West.)

NYE.

In memory of Joshua Nye, who died April 27, 1811, in the 43rd year of his age.

(Old Borodino Cemetery.)

O'FARRELL.

William O'Farrell. Died December 11, 1863, age 79 years, 3 months, 14 days.

(William O'Farrell came to this town before 1814, and settled that year on Lot 24, Tully, in Spafford Hollow, where he remained until his decease; by his wife Dinah, he had the following children, as appears by his will, dated February 28, 1863, probated March 14, 1864: Elihu A., died unmarried; Francis A., he was a minister; William M., married (1) Esther Rainey, daughter of Robert Rainey, and (2) Clara ———, he died in Tully, December 2, 1869, (leaving two children: Esther, wife of James Stuckey of Marcellus, and Chester H. O'Farrell, also of Marcellus, N. Y.); Rev. David M. D., he married and moved to Illinois, (leaving one daughter here, who married Menzies Stebbins of Bromley, (Otisco Hollow), who died in February, 1899);

John W., married a Soper; Maria, married Alanson Bouhan; Catherine, married Noah Parmele; Caroline, wife of Milo E. Jacobs, son of Elias and Betsey G. Jacobs, they moved West; and Henry F. O'Farrell. Mr. O'Farrell was a man of prominence in town affairs, and at various times held responsible town offices, among which were: Supervisor, Assessor, Overseer of the Poor, Commissioner of Highways, Collector, Constable, and Justice of the Peace.

There was another William O'Farrell, who also resided in Spafford Hollow, but how related to the foregoing family, if at all, is not known. In his will, dated February 3, 1868, probated September 27, 1869, and in the application for its probate, no mention is made of any wife or children but of the following: Mary O'Farrell, his mother, of Melrose, Canada; Mary Pitt and John O'Farrell, his sister and brother, of Melrose, Canada; Joanna Ryan, his sister, of New London, Canada; John, Rhoda and Maria Sullivan, of Ireland, children of his deceased sister, Nancy Sullivan; and Joseph, Daniel, Mary and Margaret O'Farrell, of New London, Canada, children of his deceased brother, Patrick O'Farrell. One of the witnesses to this latter will was Adeline Stebbins, the daughter of Rev. David M. D. O'Farrell, son of the first William O'Farrell, above described.)

(Spafford Hollow.)

Dinah, wife of William O'Farrell. Died August 29, 1868, age 87 years, 1 month, 13 days.

"Peaceful in life, triumphant in death."

(Spafford Hollow.)

F. Garretson, son of Rev. David M. D. and A. O'Farrell. Died September, 1844, age 2 years, 1 month, 4 days.

(Spafford Hollow.)

Charles W., son of Rev. David M. D. and A. O'Farrell. Died October 20, 1850, age 1 year, 17 days.

(Spafford Hollow.)

Esther (Rainey), wife of William M. O'Farrell. Died January 31, 1862, age 54 years, 8 months, 23 days.

(Spafford Hollow.)

William Emory, son of William M. and Esther (Rainey) O'Farrell. Died October 1, 1855, age 23 years, 4 months.

(Spafford Hollow.)

Charlotte C., daughter of William M. and Esther (Rainey) O'Farrell. Died November 7, 1857, age 19 years, 1 month, 4 days.

(Spafford Hollow.)

John R., son of William M. and Esther (Rainey) O'Farrell. Dated February 6, 1859, age 24 years, 1 month, 23 days.

(Spafford Hollow.)

OLMSTEAD.

Timothy Olmstead. Born in Litchfield, Conn., August 3, 1772. Died April 27, 1855, in the 83rd year of his age.

(In the application for letters of administration upon his estate, made by his son, Hirah Olmstead, then of Onondaga, N. Y., mention is made of his widow, Abigail Olmstead, and his children: Ebenezer, of Galway, Saratoga County, N. Y.; Alpheus, of Clinton, Rock County, Wisconsin; Sally, Randall; and Isaiah Olmstead, both of Spafford, N. Y.; Hirah, the petitioner, and also mention is made of grandchildren (without naming them), who were children of Chloe Chase and Elijah B. Olmstead, his deceased daughter and deceased son. His widow renounces in favor of the petitioner, who received letters.)

(Borodino.)

Abby J., wife of Isaiah Olmstead. Died February 2, 1885, age 74 years.

(Isaiah Olmstead was a son of Timothy and Abigail Olmstead.) 1810-1892.

(Borodino.)

Charles H., son of Isaiah and Abby J. Olmstead. Died October 1, 1839, age 3 years, 17 days.

(Borodino.)

Jerry Olmstead. (Jere on stones.) Died December 18, 1846, age 84 years, 11 months, 18 days.

(Among his children by his wife, Mercy, was Isaac Olmstead, who married Eunice Case, daughter of Isaac and Polly Case.)

(Spafford.)

Mercy, wife of Jerre Olmstead. Died April 29, 1861, age 92 years, 9 months, 13 days.

(Spafford.)

Isaac Olmstead, (son of Jerry and Mercy Olmstead).
Died May 25, 1890, age 81 years, 9 months.

(In his will, dated March 5, 1887, probated June 16, 1890, Isaac Olmsted mentions his wife Eunice, and his children: Jeremiah, married Lavina Fish, of Spafford, N. Y.; Mary J., married Francis Ide, son of Henry and Harriet (Colton) Ide, of Spafford, N. Y., and his grandchildren: Eva, David, Isaac, Lee, and Jay Olmstead, Adda Streeter, Pearley Olmstead, and Grant Ide, all of Borodino, N. Y.)

(Borodino.)

Eunice (Case), wife of Isaac Olmstead. Died April 24, 1893, age 81 years, 3 months.

(Borodino.)

Frank, son of Jeremiah and Lavina (Fish) Olmstead.
Died June 1, 1861, age 3 years, 2 months, 10 days.

“No sweeter flower did ever bloom,
Nor lovelier infant find a tomb.”

(Spafford.)

OLMSTED.

Elisha F. Olmsted. Born May 10, 1805, died March 19, 1886.

(He married Harriet Calkins, sister of Charles Calkins, and had one son, Parmelie Olmsted. He was not known to be related to the other Olmstead families of this town.)

(Thorn Hill.)

Harriet (Calkins), wife of Elisha Olmsted. Born December 7, 1807, died January 4, 1893.

(Thorn Hill.)

ORTON.

Rachel (Fisher), wife of Osmor Orton. Died September 13, 1842, age 62 years, 2 months, 5 days.

(Osmor Orton, before 1817, settled on Lot 2, Tully, in Spafford Hollow, just south of Otisco Lake and west of the inlet to that body of water; he married Rachel Fisher, daughter of Amos and Margaret Fisher, and is supposed to have had by her the following children: John, married Lydia Ann Collins, daughter of John and (Lucy Burdick) Collins, he and his wife died in Michigan; Zenas, married Sally ———, he died in Spafford, N. Y.; Henry, moved to

Preble, N. Y.; and Clarissa, who died in Michigan, unmarried. There may have been others. Uriah Roundy thinks Osmor Orton had other children: Amos, Nelson, Sally, Lucy, Louisa and Philip.)

(Davis Yard.)

Zenas Orton, (son of Osmor Orton and Rachel (Fisher) Orton). Died February 21, 1862, age 63 years, 4 months.

(Uriah Roundy says: Zenas Orton married (1) Hannah Coon, and (2) the widow Harris. His daughter, Olive, married Tensart Wilbur, she died 1899, at the age of 77 years.)

(Borodino.)

Orson E., son of Zenas and Sally Orton. Died April 15, 1855, at 17 years, 8 months, 20 days.

(Borodino.)

OSTRANDER.

Ann Eliza, daughter of Peter and Nancy (Williamson) Ostrander. Died December 30, 1851, age 2 months.

(John I. Ostrander, Jr., son of John I. and Catherine Ostrander of Albany, N. Y., married Anna Muer (Soetch), and by her had the following children: John, was a printer, and died of cholera in New Orleans, La.; Ames, was killed in the Mexican War; Peter, married Nancy Williamson, daughter of Cornelius and Eliza (Ostrander) Williamson, he was a printer by trade; William H., married Renett Weed of Albany, N. Y., he was a merchant and accountant, and resided in Tully, N. Y., he at one time was in a bank at Skaneateles, N. Y.; Alexander, married Mary King of Suffield, Hartford County, Conn., he was a harness maker and resided in Tully, N. Y. (They were father and mother of George A. Ostrander of Syracuse, N. Y., who died 1915); Philip, married and resided in Syracuse, N. Y., member of Company "A," 149th N. Y. Vols. Inft., engraver by trade, dead; Robert, married Anna Russel of Hartford, Conn., harness maker and teacher; Thomas, married ———, his wife, after his decease, married Charles Tallman, of Syracuse, N. Y., as his third wife; Gloriana; Catherine, married Harvey McCune; and Eliza, married Charles Tallman, of Syracuse, N. Y. Mr. Peter Ostrander came from Albany to Tully, but at one time resided on a cross road in Spafford Hollow, according to a statement of William M. Tuttle, formerly of Otisco Hollow, now of Vesper, N. Y.)

(Spafford.)

OWEN.

Timothy Owen. Died April 27, 1878, in his 92nd year.

(In an obituary notice, published at the time of his decease, it was stated that, "he was born at Tyringham, Mass.; moved with his parents to Navarino, N. Y., when he was 15 years of age; two years later he worked clearing land at the foot of Skaneateles Lake, where the village of that name now stands; he then went to Sempronius, where he lived four years, and then bought the farm known as the Owen farm, one and one-half miles north of Stafford Corners, where he resided until 1857; he then moved to Borodino, where he lived until his death. July 16, 1842, he joined the Free Will Baptist Church. By his wife, Lydia, he had one daughter, Polly Ann, who married George W. Breed, son of Rufus and Mehitable Breed.)

(Borodino.)

Lydia, wife of Timothy Owen. Died June 21, 1870, age 83 years.

(Borodino.)

In an application for a pension by Daniel Owen of Spafford, dated September 1, 1820, he makes the following claim: That he served in the War of the Revolution as a member of Capt. William Hull's Company, in the Regiment commanded by Col. Charles Webb, of Connecticut Troops, in the service of the United States; that he served for the period of one year and was discharged at Morristown, N. J., in 1776; that he had a wife, Lydia, and a daughter and a granddaughter, who resided with him in Spafford. The Connecticut records show that the regiment in question, during the time stated, served for a short time along the coast of Long Island Sound, then, on requisition of Washington, was accepted as Continentals and ordered to Boston, where it remained until the evacuation of that place by the British. The regiment was then marched to New York, and took part in the battle of White Plains, and then at Trenton, N. J. The Martyr Spy, Capt. Nathan Hale, executed by the British in New York City, was a member of this regiment.

Mr. Owen purchased, on March 17, 1824, eighteen acres of land on the Nunnery road, on Lot 12, Sempronius; these lands were afterwards conveyed by his widow, Lydia Owen, and his daughter, Eunice C. Snyder, then of Cortland, N. Y.,

March 31, 1841. After his decease his pension was continued to his widow, who was on the pension list in 1841 and 1842, and therein described as of Spafford.

PALMER.

Amos Palmer. Died June 9, 1823, age 50 years, 7 months.

(Amos Palmer, born October 29, 1772, according to family tradition was from Rhode Island, came from there first to Brookfield, Madison Co., N. Y. After a short residence at the latter place, he moved to the East Side Hill, in this town, on or before 1809, and remained there until he moved to the farm now occupied (1899) by Arthur Hall, on Lot 23, Sempronius, September 22, 1822. By his wife, Mary Barber, born July 27, 1771, and whom he married October 4, 1795, he had the following children: Charity, born October 25, 1796, married Benjamin Hewett, May 16, 1830; Polly, born April 9, 1798, married John Churchell, April 14, 1818; Amos, Jr., born October 1, 1800, died young; Daniel, born May 30, 1804, married Betsey Oliver, March 21, 1827; Willet, born May 2, 1806, married Mercy Babcock, February 10, 1834, resided in Skaneateles, N. Y.; Reuben S., born September 12, 1809, married Hannah Hall, November 29, 1834, resided in Spafford, on the old homestead and died without issue; James V., born May 24, 1811, married Lydia Belknap, February 20, 1833, resided in Auburn, N. Y.; Sally, born September 18, 1812, married Edward Robinson, January 1, 1845; Julania, born June 19, 1815, married Ira Babcock, April 13, 1834; and Hezekiah Gorton, born May 1, 1817, married Cynthia Capron, daughter of Benjamin Capron, September 29, 1840.

(Spafford.)

Mary Barber, wife of Amos Palmer. Died November 5, 1845, age 74 years, 3 months, 3 days.

(Spafford.)

Reuben S. Palmer, (son of Amos and Mary (Barber) Palmer). Died April 21, 1883, age 73 years, 7 months, 8 days.

(Spafford.)

Hannah Hall, wife of Reuben S. Palmer. Died January 2, 1875, age 69 years, 1 month, 5 days.

(She was born November 27, 1805, and was the daughter of Samuel and Elizabeth (Macumber) Hall.)

(Spafford.)

Joel Palmer. Died February 2, 1841, age 71 years, 8 months, 17 days.

"And he shall be like a tree planted by the river of water That bringeth forth his fruit in his season." Etc.

(Mr. Palmer came to this town early, but his first recorded deed transaction was of 270 acres, on Lot 31, Tully, dated April 29, 1816. He afterwards owned land on lots 1, 22, 32, 33 and 41, Tully. By his wife, Amy, he is known to have had at least two children: Randall, married Meribah Ripley, daughter of Jonathan and Ruth (Corey) Ripley; and Hosea, married Sophia Burdick, daughter of Thompson and Tabitha (Wilcox) Burdick, when married he first went to house keeping on the northwest corner of Lot 32, Tully, in a house long since gone to decay, on a small farm then reached by a private way, and now entirely isolated from any highway; from there he moved to Pennsylvania, where he died; his widow then came to Scott, N. Y., where she died and was buried in Seventh Day Baptist cemetery at the latter place.

Hosea Palmer (son of Joel and Amy Palmer), by his wife, Sophia Burdick, had four children: Adison; Tabitha Ann, married Hosea Borden Potter, son of Stillman Potter; Barton, died unmarried; and Lucy, married Porter Brown; all of Hosea's four children resided in Scott, N. Y.)

(Spafford.)

James M., son of Randall and Meribah (Ripley) Palmer. Died July 30, 1826, also his twin brother, died February 3, 1837.

"Sleep on, sweet babes, and take thy rest,
God called thee home when he thought best."

(Randall Palmer, son of Joel and Amy Palmer, married Meribah Ripley, daughter of Jonathan and Ruth (Corey) Ripley. His wife was born February 6, 1803, and died in Scott, N. Y., where she was buried in the Seventh Day Baptist Cemetery at that place.)

(Spafford.)

In memory of Mrs. Samantha Palmer, consort of Mr. Dyer Palmer. Died September 20, 1826, age 23 years.

(In 1826, at the time of the decease of his wife, Mr. Palmer resided on the East Side Hill, on Lot 13, Sempronius,

but in 1829, when he sold the lands he owned on that lot, he resided in Homer, N. Y., and his second wife, Sabrina, joined him in the deed.)

(Stanton Yard.)

Lyman Palmer, son of Dyer and Samantha Palmer. Died April 3, 1826, age 10 months, 10 days.

(Stanton Yard.)

No genealogy of Spafford families would be complete without reference to Gilbert Palmer and his son, John Palmer, who were, without question, the first settlers within the limits of the present town, although we have no record that any dead of this family were deposited in any of our cemeteries. Mr. Joshua V. H. Clark, in his excellent history of the County of Onondaga, says: Mr. Palmer came here in the Fall of 1794 from Dutchess or Westchester County, N. Y., and settled on Lot 76, Marcellus, for which he served as a soldier in the Revolution, and he gives a very graphic description of an accident which befell his son, John, by the felling of a tree, etc., a story which is familiar to all readers of that and subsequent histories of this county. We have no data at hand to prove the incorrectness of the date which Mr. Clark fixes, as the time of Mr. Palmer's arrival here, but as he is incorrect in some of his statements about Mr. Palmer, we think it possible he may have been misinformed on that subject. His deed of Lot 76, excepting State's Hundred Acres, is dated September 21, 1792, and is from Thomas Ostrander, the original soldier, who served for the lot. In this deed he is described as a farmer from Yorktown, or Amawalk, Westchester County, N. Y. Mr. Palmer probably was a soldier of the Revolution, and we are inclined to the belief that he came originally from Connecticut, where his name appears (or another of the same name) in the Militia of that State, for the reason that many of the Palmers in this State came originally from Stonington, Conn. The name of Gilbert Palmer also appears in the Militia of this State, and he possibly may have served in both States; but no Gilbert Palmer served in New York in any regiment or levy, entitling him to draw bounty lands in this State. It seems to us more probable that Palmer came here earlier than the Fall of 1794. He conveyed from time to time the lands which he owned, but in no conveyance was he joined by a wife; he was probably a widower while he

resided here. In one deed of lands on lot 76, he conveyed to a Samuel Palmer,—this was in 1806,—but the next year the latter and wife, Elizabeth, conveyed away these lands, and no more is known of Samuel, or of any record that the two Palmers named in this deed were related to each other. In his deeds to John Palmer he speaks of him as his son. We have no record of any children of Gilbert Palmer other than his son, John, and all we know of him is, that he came from Westchester County, was a tailor, resided on Lot 76, Marcellus, until about 1814, that he then sold out and moved into the village of Borodino, and carried on his avocation of tailor there until the Spring of 1819, and then moved to Hannibal, Oswego County, N. Y. Mr. Clark says Gilbert Palmer died about 1839. It is possible that he and his son, John, both died in the latter place. The given name of John Palmer's wife was Rachel.

A Mr. Ziba Palmer, at an early date, resided in Spafford Hollow, near the head of Otisco Lake, who is credited with a family of twenty-two children, but of him we have no further record.

PARKER.

Samuel Parker. Died October 25, 1853, age 67 years.

(Mr. Parker came to this town from Greenwich, Washington County, N. Y., and first settled on what is now known as the Breed farm, on Lot 11, Tully, where he lost his first wife, Amy. From there he moved to Spafford Hollow, where he died. His second wife was the widow, Rebecca White. He was a member of Capt. Asahel Roundy's Company, in the 96th Regiment, of New York Militia, in the War of 1812. His children were: Marietta, married Frank Smith; Isaac, Amasa, and Polly, married James Goodwin.)
(Spafford Hollow.)

Mrs. Amy, wife of Samuel Parker. Died June 14, 1831, age 42 years, 10 months, 9 days.

“ Because a man goes to his long home,
Mourners go about the streets.”

(This grave is in an open field, standing alone on the Breed farm, where her husband resided at the time of her decease.)

(Breed Farm.)

PATTEN.

William Patten, (son of William Patten). Died March 15, 1872, age 77 years, 1 month, 28 days.

(William Patten, Sr., was a native of Massachusetts, where he was a soldier in the Revolution; his son, William, was born in Oneida County, N. Y., where he settled after the war of the Revolution. The latter was a clothier by occupation and came to this town about 1817, and settled in what is known as Factory Gulf, where, in connection with Elijah Manley, he conducted the clothing works at that place; soon afterwards his brother-in-law, Edmund C. Weston, took the place of Mr. Manley, and the business was subsequently conducted by Mr. Patten and Mr. Weston. Mr. Patten first married Fanny Rathbone, daughter of James and Margaret (Ashley) Rathbone, and (2) Elizabeth Davis, daughter of Farrand and Esther Davis, and widow of Samuel Rice. By his last wife he had one son: George A. Patten, now a resident of this town.

George A. Patten, born December 30, 1842, married Lovillie, daughter of Peter and Charity (Rainey) Churchell, and by her has two children: Alton W.; and Flora E., married Emmett L. Gordon, of Preble, N. Y. Mr. George A. Patten was a member of Company D, 122d Regiment, N. Y. Vols., war of 1861, and has an honorary military record; he was in battle at Antietam, Williamsport, Fredericksburg, Deep Run, Gettysburg and Wilderness; in the latter battle he was wounded.)

(Borodino.)

Fanny (Rathbone), wife of William Patten. Died October 23, 1839, age 37 years, 9 months, 27 days.

(Borodino.)

Elizabeth (Davis), wife of William Patten. Died April 17, 1851, age 42 years, 5 months, 27 days.

(Thorn Hill.)

PATTERSON.

Dinah, wife of Dr. Ebenezer Patterson. Died June 30, 1836, age 69 years, 11 months, 7 days.)

(Dr. Ebenezer Patterson, according to family tradition, was of Scotch extraction and came from Vermont, first to Burlington, Otsego County, N. Y., and from there to this.

town, where he died and was buried in this cemetery. (No stone.) By his wife, Dinah, he had the following children: Calvin, married (1) Sarah Thompson, and (2) Asenath Warner, widow of William Case; Volney, married Susan Green, moved to Chautauqua County, near Sinclairville, N. Y., in 1855, and died there; Jonathan, married Polly Ann Knapp, daughter of Peter and Dinah (Guion) Knapp, he moved to Ohio and died there; Lovina, married Zerah Baker, son of Elijah Baker, moved to Ohio; Roxana, married Simon Baker, son of Elijah Baker, moved to Marietta, N. Y., about 1854, and died there, had several children, among whom were Ashbel and Marcus Baker; and Anna, who died in 1914, age 14 years.) (Spafford.)

Anna, daughter of Ebenezer and Dinah Patterson. Died February, 1814, age 14 years, 5 months.

(Spafford.)

Calvin Patterson, (son of Dr. Ebenezer and Dinah Patterson). (On stone Paterson). Died December 29, 1866, age 78 years, 9 months, 23 days.

(He was born at Burlington, Otsego County, N. Y., and came to this town about 1812, and settled first on Ripley Hill, near the Ripley farm, (43 and 32, Tully). These lands he sold in 1829 and settled on the Skaneateles and Homer road, about one mile north of the Village of Borodino, on lot 75, Marcellus, where he remained until his decease. He had no issue by Asenath Warner, his second wife, but by Sarah Thompson, his first, had: Chester, born in 1810 in Burlington, Otsego County, N. Y., married Caroline Hutchens, daughter of Col. Phineas and Margaret (Giberson) Hutchens, February 28, 1834, in Spafford, N. Y., he died in Skaneateles, N. Y.; Laura, born in Spafford, married Amos Christler and died in Navarino, N. Y.; George W., born in Spafford, married Martha Rathbone of Marietta, N. Y., he died in June, 1896, in Fairmount, N. Y.; Sarah, died in Spafford, 1819, age 11 months; Sarah, 2d, born in Spafford, married Samuel H. Stanton, husband dead, and she now (1899) resides in Spafford. His second wife was buried by the side of her first husband, William Case.)

(Borodino.)

Sarah (Thompson), wife of Calvin Patterson. Died May 22, 1851, age 61 years, 4 months, 22 days.

(Borodino.)

In memory of Sarah, daughter of Calvin and Sarah (Thompson) Patterson. Died June 14, 1819, age 11 months, 7 days.

(Spafford.)

Chester Patterson, (son of Calvin and Sarah (Thompson) Patterson). Died July 20, 1887, age 77 years.

(Chester Patterson, born at Burlington, N. Y., in 1810, resided with or near his father on Ripley Hill, and also north of Borodino. By his wife, Caroline Hutchens, he had the following children, born in this town: Margaret, born 1834, died at 11 months; Margaret, 2d, born in 1836, died in 1874 in Skaneateles, married Sherman Brown, of Scott, N. Y., and was buried in Borodino Cemetery; Francis H., born May 3, 1841, married Mary E. Ambercrombie of Chittenango, N. Y., member of Co. "D," 122d Regt., N. Y. Vols., War of 1861, served about three years, resides in Syracuse, N. Y. (has two children: Alice M., married Emmett D. Scribner, Syracuse, N. Y., and Roswell H., married Sarah Johnson, resided in Cleveland, Ohio); Marcus, born April 7, 1847 (twin), married (1) Attaresta Prindle, and (2) her sister, Mary E. Prindle, daughters of Rensselaer and Charlotte (Vincent) Prindle; and Martha, born April 7, 1847 (twin), married Thomas Kelly, resides in Skaneateles, N. Y. (and has two children: Maud and Mabel, aged (in 1898) about 16 and 11 years respectively).

(Borodino.)

Caroline Hutchens, wife of Chester Patterson. Died December 6, 1890, age 78 years.

(Borodino.)

Attaresta Prindle, wife of Marcus Patterson. Died May 18, 1874, age 26 years, 6 months.

"How calm she sleeps in her lonely home
Where the cares of life can never come."

(Marcus Patterson, son of Chester and Caroline (Hutchens) Patterson, by his first wife, Attaresta, had one child: Ellis C., and by his second wife, Mary E., has: Frank, born July 4, 1882; Grace, born March 22, 1884; and Blanche, born October 11, 1888; all residing with Mr. Patterson near Borodino, N. Y. Mr. Patterson has been Supervisor of the town.)

(Borodino.)

PEASE.

Horace Pease, farmer, born in Enfield, Conn., September 14, 1784, married Betsey Watts, October 27, 1805, first came to Manlius, N. Y., and from there to this town about 1810, where he settled on a farm on Lots 32 and 33, Tully, in Cold Brook. After many years he moved to Salem, Wisconsin, where he died April 12, 1863. By his wife, Betsey Watts, he had a large family, all, but one or two of the eldest, were born in this town, the others in Manlius. They were: Lucius, born 1807, died June 24, 1816; Aaron, born February 25, 1811, married Julia Weatherby and resided in Iowa; Minerva E., born February 15, 1813, married (1) George Coddington, and (2) James Morwick, September, 1847, she resided first in Syracuse and later in Adrian, Mich.; Galusha J., born February 28, 1815, married and resided in Adrian, Mich.; Spencr A., born February 23, 1817, married (1) Hannah Paddock in 1839, and (2) Julia A Olden in 1851, resided in Mantillo, Marietta County, Wisconsin. He was lawyer, doctor, printer, and Member of the Wisconsin Legislature; Charlotte A., born March 30, 1819, married Edmund Whipple, resided in Iowa; Almira S., born April 29, 1821, married Henry Osborne, resided in Auburn, N. Y.; Allen W., born August 19, 1823, married and resided in Salem Racine County, Wis.; and Mary A., born August 2, 1825, married Samuel Whipple and resided in Indiana. Mr. Pease was of the seventh generation, in line of descent from Robert and Margaret Pease, who came to Boston, (then to Salem), Mass., in 1634, in the ship Francis, from Ipswich, England, and prior from Great Braddon, County of Essex, England, as follows: Horace, Gideon, John, John, John, John, Robert. The family home of this branch of the Pease family was Enfield Conn., where it resided for six generations, including Horace, who was born and passed his boyhood there. (See Pease Genealogy, by Austin F. Pease, 1869.)

PECK.

Madison D| Peck, (son of Samuel Peck). Died January 6, 1879, age 62 years, 4 months, 2 days.

(Samuel Peck's wife, who was a Manley, also died in this town and was buried in this cemetery. Their son, Madison D., died unmarried.)

(Borodino.)

Dolly Peck, 1828-1893.

Samuel Peck, J., (son of Samuel Peck.) Died February 14, 1835, age 7 years, 11 months, 19 days.

(Samuel Peck, the father, moved from town.)

(Borodino.)

PERKINS.

Martha, wife of Albert Perkins. Died January 19, 1848, age 33 years, 7 months.

(Borodino.)

Hopkins Perkins formerly resided in Cold Brook, in this town; by his wife, Polly, he had several children: A daughter, married Alphonus Phillips, she died in Cold Brook, and her husband afterwards married Martha Jane Taft, daughter of Bazaleel Taft, Phillips was a blacksmith; Nelson, married Susan Andrews, daughter of Rev. Benjamin and Mary Andrews; Calista, married Dudley Andrews, son of Rev. Benjamin and Mary Andrews; Anice, married Nelson McDaniels, son of John and Polly (Hankins) McDaniels, she died in Buffalo, N. Y.; Delos, died unmarried; and Cornelia, residing (1898), in Buffalo, N. Y., unmarried.)

PHELPS.

Erastis, son of Daniel and Eliza Phelps. Died April 17, 1827, age 1 year.

(Mr. and Mrs. Phelps came to this town from Cambridge, Washington County, N. Y., about May, 1827, and settled on Lot 12, Sempronius. Mr. Phelps was probably a brother of the wife of Isaac Anthony. He moved from town about 1830.)

(Nunnery.)

PLUMMER.

William Henry, son of Darius and Alzina (Hall) Plummer. Died February 15, 1845, age 1 year, 8 months, 18 days.

(Darius Plummer married Alzina Hall, daughter of Simeon and Hannah (Wilcox) Hall, and by her had several children; he resided at one time in a house owned by Capt. Asahel Roundy, standing near his sawmill at the top of the Buck Tail Road, on Lot 22, Tully. (He moved out of town.)

(Spafford.)

PICKET.

Philip Picket. Died January 13, 1852, age 78 years.

(His wife, Hannah, died in 1839, and after her decease he married Anice Churchill, daughter of Chauncey and Catherine (Merry) Churchill, and widow of Chester Sharp.

(Cold Brook.)

Hannah, wife of Philip Picket. Died February 18, 1839, age 69 years.

(Cold Brook.)

Diana Picket, daughter of Peter and Theda (Norton) Picket. Died September 9, 1827, age 2 years, 19 days.

(Mrs. Picket was a daughter of Moses and Percy (Barber) Norton. Peter Picket built, about 1826, the Saw Mill (now known as Taft's Mill), standing on Lot 44, Tully, in Cold Brook, just east of the M. E. Church and Cold Brook Cemetery).

(Cold Brook.)

POLLOCK.

Jacob Pollock. Private Company "I," 149th Regt., N. Y. Vols. Inf. Died October 9, 1886, age 70 years.

(Jacob Pollock married (1) ——— Bothwell, daughter of Major Henry Bothwell, of Spafford Hollow, and (2) Parmelia Babcock, daughter of John, Jr., and Ellis (Wallace) Babcock. After his decease his second wife married George W. Breed. Mr. Pollock had several children by his first wife.)

(Borodino.)

POTTER.

Helen, daughter of Nelson and Almira Potter. Died June 3, 1847, age 8 years, 1 month, 16 days.

(Spafford Hollow.)

A John Potter also resided in Spafford Hollow, who had four children: Rufus, John, Harry, and Susan.

POWERS.

Albert Powers, (son of Isaac and Chloe (Hall) Powers.) Born June 7, 1822, died November 7, 1890.

(Isaac Powers came from Moravia, N. Y., to Thorn Hill; his wife, Chloe Hall, gave birth to fifteen children, all dying in infancy except the following: Orpha, married

Russel Manley and resided in Moravia, N. Y.; Louisa, married Mr. Lucien D. Wait, jeweler, of Skaneateles, N. Y.; Melvin, married Harriet Barnes, and moved to Michigan, where he married a second time (dead); Charles, moved to Michigan, where he married twice, (dead); he had a son, Charles, Jr., who resided in 1898 in Spafford, unmarried; Simeon, married and residing in Minnesota; Ira, married and resided in Moravia, N. Y., he has two sons, Dwight and Charles, who reside at the latter place; and Albert, married (1) ——— Wait, and (2) Cynthia Ackles, daughter of Joseph Ackles.

Albert Powers, born at Moravia, N. Y., by his first wife, Wait, had two children, and by his second wife, Cynthia Ackles, three, as follows: Annette, married William Warner of Cold Brook; Henry, married Nancy Durr, he was killed in a railroad accident in Homer village, N. Y., buried in this cemetery (no stone); Matilda, married Albin Fisher of Spafford; John W., married (1) Nettie Warner, daughter of Edward Warner, and (2) Carrie Hazzard, daughter of George Hazzard; and Hiram, who died unmarried.)

(Spafford.)

Cynthia Ackles, wife of Albert Powers. Born April 17, 1825, died March 28, 1892.

(Spafford.)

Hiram Powers, (son of Albert and Cynthia (Ackles) Powers. Born October 10, 1866, died September 6, 1886.

(Spafford.)

Maud M. Powers, daughter of John W. and Clara (Hazzard) Powers. Died July 7, 1893, age 9 months, 14 days.

(Mrs. Powers is called by her husband Carrie Hazzard.)

(Spafford.)

PRESSEY.

Rhoda, wife of Benjamin Pressey. Died December 24, 1841, age 87 years, 3 months, 25 days.

(Davis Yard.)

Elizabeth, wife of Benjamin Pressey. Died September 2, 1854, age 64 years, 4 months.

(Davis Yard.)

Among the children of Moses Pressey were: Emeline, married (1) David Cooper, and (2) Reuben Maxson; Mary, married (1) Col. Lewis C. Davis as his second wife, and (2)

Herman Barnes; Amanda; and LaFayette; the last two supposed to have been adopted.

PRESTON.

Jane (Mills) Preston, (wife of Robert Preston). Died October 29, 1866, age 38 years.

(She was a daughter of Alexander Mills.)

(Borodino.)

Erastus, son of Alexander and Mary Preston. Died November 2, 1881, age 1 year, 9 months, 10 days.

(Borodino.)

PRINDLE.

Samuel Prindle, a soldier of the Revolution. Died September 12, 1850, age 92 years.

(Samuel Prindle, born 1758, blacksmith by trade, was a soldier during the Revolution, in the Massachusetts Line (Continental), and served for a period of about three years and nine months, first in Capt. Williams' Company in Col. Patterson's regiment, for about nine months, and afterwards in Captains Stoddard and Hollister's companies of Col. Poor's regiment. After the revolution, according to family tradition, he first settled in Rutland, Vermont, and from there came to Rensselaer County, N. Y., where he lost his wife, whose name is not known. After the decease of his wife, which was before 1820, he came to this town, and resided with his daughter Rhoda and his son, Samuel, Jr., on the East Side Hill, until his decease. He was a pensioner of the United States during the major part of his residence in this town. His children were: Samuel, supposed to have died single; Rhoda, died single; Reuben, supposed to have died single in Pennsylvania; Moses, born June 21, 1789, married Purlina M. Patchen, after his decease his wife married (2) Dr. Reuben T. Breed, son of Allen and Lucy (Taylor) Breed; Betsey, married Mr. Potter; a daughter, married Conrad Kellyer; and Joseph, born February 26, 1791, married Elizabeth Moon, daughter of Silas and Anna Moon.)

(Spafford.)

Moses Prindle, (son of Samuel Prindle). Died October 21, 1835, age 46 years, 4 months.

“ Here to the dreary grave confined,
 He sleeps in death's dark bloom,
 Until the eternal morning wakes
 The slumber of the tomb.”

(Moses Prindle came to this town from Greenwich, Washington County, N. Y., where he married his wife, Purlina M. Patchen, and settled on Lot 32, Sempronius, in the Spring of 1818, and there remained until his decease. His children were: Clarinda, married William B. Thompson, son of Reuben and Sally Thompson, moved to Jackson County, Michigan; Truman, moved West; Polaski, he was a physician and studied medicine with Dr. Isaac Morell, of Borodino, N. Y., he died in Michigan; Oscar, born September 13, 1828, married Melinda Rich, only daughter of Dorr and Anna (Becker) Rich, (one child only, died young); and Fernando C., married Mary Elizabeth Johnson, daughter of Jonathan and Esther (Woodworth) Johnson, resides in Spafford, farmer, no issue.)

(Spafford.)

Purlina M. (Patchen), wife of Reuben T. Breed, formerly wife of Moses Prindle. Died October 27, 1861, age 61 years, 4 months, 10 days.

(She was born June 17, 1800; by her second husband she had one child, Helen, who married Edwin Johnson, son of Jonathan and Esther (Woodworth) Johnson, both dead and buried in this cemetery.)

(Spafford.)

Hon. Joseph Prindle, (son of Samuel Prindle). Died May 17, 1859, age 68 years, 2 months, 22 days.

(Mr. Prindle came to this town with his brother Moses, with whom he resided on Lot 32, Sempronius, until he purchased (in 1818) his home farm on Lot 41, Tully, where he resided until his decease. He was prominent in town affairs, and amongst other offices at one time was a member of the New York Legislature. His children born in Spafford, by his wife Elizabeth Moon, were: Samuel H., born April 12, 1815, was killed accidentally, unmarried; Minerva, married Col. William W. Legg, son of Capt. Otis and Polly (Sabin) Legg, both dead, and buried in Borodino cemetery; Rensselaer, married Charlotte Vincent, daughter of Michael Vincent, of Scott, N. Y., both dead, and buried in Borodino cemetery; Joseph Addison, married Anna Manning, he was

a teacher and preacher, and resided in Oswego, N. Y.; and Horace, married Angeline Norton, daughter of Robert and Susan (Hill) Norton, he is dead, widow resides in Syracuse, N. Y.)

(Spafford.)

Elizabeth (Moon), wife of Hon. Joseph Prindle. Died December 12, 1868, age 75 years, 3 months, 14 days.

(Spafford.)

Samuel H., son of Joseph and Elizabeth (Moon) Prindle. Died December 12, 1846, age 31 years, 8 months.

(Spafford.)

Oscar Prindle, (son of Moses and Purlina M. (Patchen) Prindle. Died November 10, 1883, age 55 years, 2 months, 27 days.

(Spafford.)

Infant son and only child of Oscar and Malinda (Rich) Prindle. Died April 29, 1870.

“Gone but not forgotten.”

(Spafford.)

Rensselaer Prindle (son of Hon. Joseph and Elizabeth (Moon) Prindle). Born in Spafford, Onondaga County, N. Y., June 15, 1822. Died April 15, 1899, age 76 years, 10 months.

(Mr. Prindle, by his wife, Charlotte Vincent, had the following children, all born in Spafford on Lot 41, Tully: Mary E., married Marcus Patterson, son of Chester and Caroline (Hutchens) Patterson, as his second wife, resides near Borodino, N. Y.; Attaresta, married Marcus Patterson as his first wife, dead, buried in this cemetery; Jay Lester, married Sarah E. Cotteral, daughter of John and Sarah Mary (Barker) Cotteral, resides in Spafford, N. Y.; and Edgar, married Helen Lyon, daughter of Spencer K. and (Baxter) Lyon. Mr. Prindle was born and always resided on part of the homestead farm, on Lot 41, Tully.)

(Borodino.)

Charlotte E. Vincent, wife of Rensselaer Prindle. Born in Saratoga County, N. Y., October 7, 1826. Died January 27, 1886, age 59 years, 4 months.

(Borodino.)

PULLMAN.

Shadrack Pullman, son of John and Mabel (Pettis) Pullman. Died June 12, 1832, age 4 years, 10 months, 3 days.

(John Pullman, son of Psalter and Elizabeth Pullman, married Mabel Pettis, daughter of Joseph Pettis, who formerly resided on Randall's Point, Lot 41, Tully, on the east side of Skaneateles Lake. (The Pettises came from St. Lawrence County, N. Y.) Psalter Pullman (perhaps from Rhode Island), came to this town about 1815, and settled on what was subsequently known as the Rathbone Barber, Jr., farm, Lot 32, Sempronius, where he remained, clearing the land, until about 1830, when he and all his family, except John and one daughter, went West. His children, born in Spafford, were: Joseph M., born October 16, 1815, married March 17, 1840, Susanna Needham, settled in Niles, Michigan; Lewis married and settled in Grand Rapids, Michigan; among his children were: George M. Pullman, the Palace Car magnate; John, married Mabel Pettis, daughter of Joseph Pettis, he at an early date resided on the Skaneateles and Homer road, on Lot 31, Tully, where he kept the tavern, called the "Nimble Sixpence," he moved to Wisconsin, where he died; Nathaniel, married Nancy ———, he was a preacher and went West; Moses, moved West; Esther and Abigail, one of the latter married Harmon Norton, son of Moses and Percy (Barber) Norton.

John Pullman (son of Psalter and Elizabeth Pullman), by his wife, Mabel Pettis, had the following children, in addition to those named in this record as buried in this cemetery: Jessie, married Christina Havens, daughter of Clark and Roby (Barber) Havens, resided in 1898 in Niles, Cayuga County, N. Y.; Charles, went West; and Fred, resided in Skaneateles, N. Y.)

(Spafford.)

Polly E., daughter of John and Mabel (Pettis) Pullman. Died October 20, 1838, age 16 years, 3 months, 20 days.

(Spafford.)

Thankful M., daughter of John and Mabel (Pettis) Pullman. Died October 26, 1838, age 14 years, 6 months, 4 days.

(Spafford.)

Emily, daughter of John and Mabel (Pettis) Pullman. Died January 8, 1839, age 7 months.

(Spafford.)

PURDY.

Elizabeth Purdy. Died February 14, 1872, age 71 years, 7 days.

(She was the mother of Hiram Purdy.)

(Borodino.)

QUICK.

William Quick. Died January 31, 1890, age 68 years. . . .
 "We miss thee."

(Mr. Quick was a tailor by occupation; he was born in London, England, and from there came first to Canada, where he lost his first wife, whose name is unknown. He came from Canada to Spafford Corners about 1850, and there married Jane French, adopted daughter of Samuel and Rachel French, as his second wife. After residing at the latter place several years, he moved to the village of Borodino, where he remained until about 1885. He then moved to Auburn, N. Y., the place of his decease. By his first wife he had: Henry, died unmarried; William, married Adelia Cornell, daughter of John and Miranda Cornell, resides at Navarino, N. Y.; and Charles B., married Eliza J. Hayford, daughter of Benjamin and Eliza (French) Hayford, he is dead; and by his second wife, William Quick had: George B., married and resides at Weedsport, N. Y.; James M., married (1) Sarah Jane Grinnell, daughter of Ansel Grinnell, and (2) Martha Grinnell, daughter of Evelyn P. Grinnell, resides in Auburn, N. Y.; and Frank, married Mary Howe, daughter of Henry Howe, resides in Homer, N. Y. Mr. Quick's widow now resides in Auburn, N. Y.)

(Borodino.)

Henry Quick, (son of William Quick). Died April 29, 1862, age 22 years.

(Borodino.)

Sarah Jane (Grinnell), wife of James Quick. Died June 24, 1885, age 30 years, 10 months, 26 days.

(Borodino.)

RANDALL.

Silas Randall, (son of Silas and Hannah (Fish) Randall). Died February 26, 1877, age 85 years, 8 months, 27 days.

(Silas Randall, Sr., was a son of Capt. John Randall of Foster, R. I., and came to this town prior to 1814 and settled on Lot 31, Tully; after remaining here for a short time, he sold out his interest in the lands in question to his son, Silas, Jr., and according to family tradition went West, perhaps to Ohio. His son, Silas, Jr., after remaining here five or six years with his father, who then lived in a log house, situate about 40 or 50 rods west of the present Randall residence, on the homestead farm on Lot 31, Tully, went back to Foster, R. I., and there married Mercy Harrington, sister of John Harrington, formerly of this town, residing on Lot 41, Tully, and brought her here where she remained until her decease; he then married Anna Alvord, widow of Alva Wadsworth, for a second wife. Silas Randall, Sr., had another son, Henry Randall, who came with him to this town, and resided with his wife, Anna, after 1814 on survey fifty acres in the northeast corner of Lot 41, Tully; he was drowned in Skaneateles Lake, while boating a load of wheat to the village of Skaneateles. Silas Randall, Jr., by his wife, Mercy Harrington, had the following children, all born in this town: Robert, married Mary Ann Fay, daughter of John and Isabel Fay, they are dead, (their children were: Mary Jane, married Abraham Craig; Sarah, married Lehi Wood; William, bachelor; Henry, married Tirzah Knight, daughter of John Knight; Emily, married Perry Randall, son of Hosea and Charlotte (Clark) Randall, as his second wife; and Elizabeth, married Albert Barber, all were living in 1898. Josephine, born about 1863, living at or near Glen Haven, N. Y. There were two more who died young.) Ezra, married Mary Ann Alvord, after the decease of Ezra, his widow married Samuel L. Churchill. Ezra and his wife are now both deceased and buried in this cemetery. (Their children were: Almy, married Riley Webster (both dead); Elnora, resided in Marcellus, N. Y.; and Harriet, married Newcomb Wright, resides in Otisco, N. Y.); Massena, married (1) Sylvanus Knight, and (2) Nathan Bond, resides in Spafford, no issue; Betsey, married Charles Barber, son of Rathbone and Robe (Wilcox) Barber (one child: Mercy Ann, married Vinal Gifford, resides in Spafford). Mr. and Mrs. Barber are both dead; Mary, died in 1840, age 25 years, unmarried; Nathan, married Mary Ann Wadsworth, daughter of Alva and Anna

(Alvord) Wadsworth, (she was daughter of Silas Randall's second wife, Anna Alvord), (their children were: George Henry, married Harriet Knight, daughter of John Knight, the children of George Herny are: James, married Emeline Briggs; Alvin, married Alice Briggs; Nancy, married George Hill; Silvia, died single; Susan, married John Newman; and Alta, unmarried;) John, the second son of Nathan, died young; Benjamin, married Sarah Wright (one child, Mary); William C., married Alice Worden, daughter of Walter and Margaret (Wood) Worden, one son, Albert, married Bell Powers, daughter of John W. and Nettie (Warner) Powers; Frank, married Fannie Worden, sister of William C. Randall's wife; and Adelle, married Alvin Worden, son of Walter and Margaret (Wood) Worden); Nathan and his wife still reside at Spafford Corners; George, died unmarried; Martin, died unmarried; and Silas, died unmarried; Silas Randall, by his second wife, Anna Alvord, had one daughter, Amy, who married Wesley Craig, she is now deceased (three children). Mr. Randall was a soldier of the war of 1812, and a man generally respected.)
(Spafford.)

Mercy (Harrington), wife of Silas Randall. Died September 10, 1843, age 50 years.
(Spafford.)

Anna (Alvord) (Wadsworth), wife of Silas Randall. Died November 15, 1878, age 72 years.
(Spafford.)

George Randall, (son of Silas and Mercy (Harrington) Randall). Died July 6, 1865, age 44 years.
(Spafford.)

Ezra Randall, (son of Silas and Silas and Mercy (Harrington) Randall). Died September 28, 1857, age 31 years.
(Spafford.)

Alexander, son of Ezra and Mary Ann (Alvord) Randall. Died December 31, 1849, age 1 year, 7 months.
(Spafford.)

Mary, daughter of Silas and Mercy (Harrington) Randall. Died September 15, 1840, age 25 years.
(Spafford.)

Silas, son of Silas and Mercy (Harrington) Randall. Died October 19, 1845, age 26 years.
(Spafford.)

Martin Randall, (son of Silas and Mercy (Harrington) Randall. Died December 28, 1886, age 53 years.

(Spafford.)

John, son of Nathan and Mary Ann (Wadsworth) Randall. Died November 21, 1849, age 2 years, 4 months, 6 days.

(Spafford.)

Cornelia V. H., daughter of Henry and Margaret Randall. Died December 5, 1842, age 21 years, 15 days.

(Spafford Hollow.)

Sarah (Havens), wife of Stephen Randall, Jr. Died August 24, 1858, age 32 years.

(Stephen Randall, Sr., is supposed to have been a first cousin to Silas Randall, Jr., who married Mercy Harrington for his first wife; he had three wives: (1) Ruth, (surname not known). (2) Lucinda Palmer, and for a third wife, Patty Olmstead, he is supposed to have come originally from Foster, R. I. His children were: Hosea, married Charlotte Clark, he is dead and buried at Scott, N. Y.; his widow is now (1899) residing at Glen Haven, N. Y. Stephen, Jr., married (1) Sarah Havens, daughter of Clark and Roby (Barber) Havens, and (2) Diantha Oland, widow of Hezekiah Havens; he was drowned in Skaneateles Lake; Amy, married (1) Dwight Reynolds, and (2) Dwight Smith; she died in Sempronius; Mary, married Stephen De Barre, husband died on Ten Mile Point, she died at Mandana, N. Y.; Betsey, married Charles Lewis, residing in 1898 in New Hope, N. Y.; Deborah, married Josiah Scott, she died in New Hope, N. Y.; Polina, married Charles Odell, living in 1898 in Niles, Cayuga County, N. Y.; Joel, married in Oswego County, N. Y., and in 1898 was residing in Iowa; Harvey, went away; Lucinda, died at Glen Haven, unmarried, buried in Scott, N. Y.; and Nathan, married, and in 1898 resided in Iowa.

Hosea Randall, (son of Stephen Randall), by his wife, Charlotte Clark, had the following children: Hosea, Jr., married Catherine Cummings, resides near Glen Haven, and has several children, some of whom are married; John, married Alice Barber, daughter of Rathbone and Julania, (Harris) Barber, resides near Glen Haven, N. Y., and has one son, Earl; Perry, married (1) Philinda Daniels, and (2) Emily Randall, daughter of Robert and Mary Ann

(Fay) Randall, he died in 1898, widow resides near Glen Haven, several children; and William, married Abigail Morris, daughter of Samuel Morris, and widow of a Mr. Smith, resides at Glen Haven, N. Y. Stephen Randall, Sr., died in the town of Onondaga, N. Y.)

(Borodino.)

Minerva D., daughter of Stephen, Jr., and Sarah (Havens) Randall. Died December 31, 1857, age 8 years and 11 months.

(Borodino.)

RANDELL.

Rhoda, relict of Caleb Randell, died February 22, 1844, age 65 years, 7 months, 3 days.

(Borodino.)

Caleb Randell. Died February 3, 1857, age 84 years, 10 months, 17 days.

RATHBONE.

Valentine Rathbone and his son, James Rathbone, came to this town from Pittsfield, Berkshire County, Mass., in the Fall of 1801, and settled on fifty acres in the southwest corner of Lot 69, Marcellus, of which the former had a deed. In March of the next year Valentine Rathbone conveyed, without wife, these lands to James Rathbone, and the latter, from time to time thereafter, added to this purchase other lands on this and adjoining lots, until he owned at one time a very large farm of 336 acres, on lots 68, 69, and 74, Marcellus. James Rathbone married Margaret Ashley, and by her had the following children: James Harvey, married Clorinda Pardee, he died in Spafford and was buried in Borodino Cemetery, no stone; Niles, married and died in Illinois; Charlotte, married Conrad Hillebert, brother of John C. Hillebert, of this town; Clorinda, married Edmund C. Weston, both dead, and buried in Borodino Cemetery; Sophia, married Peleg Gifford, died near Utica, N. Y.; Fanny, married William Patten, dead, and buried in Borodino Cemetery; Harriet, married Zara Berry, died in 1828, and buried at Thorn Hill; Jane A., married Leonard Harvey, son of Medad and Anar (Buell) Harvey; Mary, married Benjamin Folsom, (said to be an uncle in some degree of Mrs. Grover Cleveland), resided in Los Angeles, Cali-

fornia; Benjamin Frank, married and died in Michigan, and William, died in Spafford, unmarried. Valentine Rathbone and his son, James Rathbone, were clothiers by trade, the former having built the first clothing mill in Pittsfield about 1768, and the latter built a similar mill in Factory Gulf, on Lot 74, Marcellus, soon after he came here. Valentine Rathbone was a prominent man in Pittsfield, and there organized a Baptist Church about 1772, and ministered over it as Elder until about the time he came here. At one time he was converted to the doctrine of the Shakers, but afterwards abandoned that sect and worked against that faith. He was also prominent at Pittsfield in political affairs, especially in Revolutionary times. After the sale of his possessions on lot 69, Marcellus, to his son James in 1802, he purchased 300 acres on lot 54, Marcellus, and settled on the highway now known as the Skaneateles and Hamilton Turnpike, about one mile north of the village of Marietta, where he remained until the period of his death, which occurred in February 1814, at the advanced age of 90 years. According to family tradition, Valentine Rathbone was born in Stonington, Conn., December 23, 1724, and probably was descended from John Rathbone, one of the first settlers and sixteen proprietors of Block Island (New Shoreham, R. I.) In his will, dated November 17, 1808, probated February 17, 1814, he mentions his wife, Tabitha Rathbone, and his children: Saxon, (executor), Joshua (then dead), Daniel (then dead), James, Benjamin, Valentine, Jr., daughters Niles (then dead), Susanna, Eunice, Cynthia, and his son Reuben (then dead).

Among the list of soldiers of the American Revolution mentioned in the history of Pittsfield, Mass., as serving from that town, are the following: Daniel, James, Reuben, Valentine, Jacob, Sylvester and Charles T. Rathbone; the last three possibly may have been grandchildren of Valentine, the others were his sons.

RAYMOND.

Hannah, daughter of Nathan and Mariah (Williamson) Raymond. Died October 17, 1831, age 1 year, 4 months, 6 days.

“Fond desires are often crossed
And parents hopes in death are lost.”

(Nathan Raymond married Mariah Williamson, daughter of Cornelius and Eliza (Ostrander) Williamson.)
(Spafford.)

REED.

Jonathan Reed. Died October 16, 1828, age 54 years, 9 months, 9 days.

(He married Rhoda Bowen, and by her had: Augustus, married (1) a Platt, and (2) a woman in Onondaga Valley, N. Y.; Hiram, married Miss Bishop, daughter of Col. Bishop; Mary, married Samuel Harvey, son of Medad and Anar (Buell) Harvey; Theda, married John Harvey, son of Medad and Anar (Buell) Harvey; Elpha, married (1) Mr. Walter Bradley, and (2) Edmund Akin; Sarah, married Mr. Lincoln (or Lime) Chapman; and Minerva, married John F. Clark of Onondaga Valley, N. Y.)

(Thorn Hill.)

Rhoda (Bowen), wife of Jonathan Reed. Died August 17, 1859, age 75 years, 2 months, 27 days.

(Thorn Hill.)

RICE.

Mary, wife of Christian Rice. Died February 14, 1831, age 56 years, 4 months, 2 days.

(Christian Rice settled on Lot 71, Marcellus, west of Otisco Lake, prior to 1815.)

(Thorn Hill.)

Laura, daughter of Christian and Mary Rice. Died March 9, 1830, age 15 years, 5 months, 6 days.

(Thorn Hill.)

Samuel Rice, (son of Christian and Mary Rice). Died October 17, 1839, age 37 years.

(After his decease his wife, Elizabeth Davis, daughter of Farrand and Esther Davis, married William Patten, as his second wife.)

(Thorn Hill.)

Mary, wife of Luther Rice. Died August 5, 1857, age 37 years, 8 months, 15 days.

(Spafford Hollow.)

Marquess D. Rice. Died February 14, 1864, age 22 years, 9 months, 10 days.

(Spafford Hollow.)

Lucretia (Norton), wife of Stephen Rice. Died December 12, 1865, age 28 years, 1 month, 17 days.

(Stephen Rice, son of Levi Rice, married Lucretia Norton, daughter of Seymour and Sally (Lyman) Norton. Near Lucretia's grave are two unmarked graves, of infant children of Stephen and Lucretia (Norton) Rice.)

(Spafford.)

Mary A. (Norton), wife of Orrin Rice. Died July 27, 1862, age 19 years, 6 months.

(Orrin Rice, son of Levi Rice, married Mary A. Norton, daughter of Seymour and Sally (Lyman) Norton.)

(Spafford.)

RICH.

Dorr Rich. Born July 11, 1798, died July 30, 1867.

(He married Anna Becker, sister of Peter Becker, and had the following children: Chrales M., married Justina Woodworth, daughter of Joel C. and Sarah (Eadie) Woodworth; Charlotte M., married George W. Briggs; Melinda, married Oscar M. Prindle, son of Moses and Purlina M. (Patchen) Prindle; and a daughter, married Richard M. Eddy.)

(Borodino.)

Anna Becker, wife of Dorr Rich. Born March 18, 1796, died May 29, 1884.

(Borodino.)

RICHARDSON.

Stephen R. Richardson. Died February 13, 1857, age 31 years, 1 month.

“He sleeps in Jesus.”

“Go home, dear wife, dry up your tears
And be prepared when Christ appears.”

(Borodino.)

RIGGALL.

Miles Riggall. Died November 17, 1861, age 62 years, 2 months, 26 days.

(He married Maria Lieber; after his decease his widow married Albin Coon, of Thorn Hill, for her second husband.)
(Spafford.)

RIPLEY.

Jonathan Ripley, (son of David and Precilla (Dunbar) Ripley.) Died April 15, 1849, age 78 years, 6 months, 21 years.

“ Receive O Earth! his faded form,
In thy cold bosom let it lie,
Safe let it rest from ev'ry storm,
Soon may it rise no more to die.”

(David Ripley was the son of John and Meribah Ripley, who first resided in Coventry, and afterwards in West Greenwich, R. I.; their children were: Sarah, born in Coventry, January 11, 1740; Mary, born in Coventry, April 15, 1742, married in West Greenwich, Benjamin Adam Gallup, February 14, 1762; David, born in West Greenwich, July 30, 1744, married Precilla Dunbar, born March 12, 1745, supposed to have resided in Warren County, N. Y., and afterwards perhaps Hoosick, Rensselaer County, N. Y.; Meribah, born in West Greenwich, R. I., August 6, 1746; Jane, born in West Greenwich, R. I., January 27, 1850-1; Preserved, born November 13, 1752, (as well as the three following) in West Greenwich, R. I.: Joshua, born December 16, 1754; John, born March 21, 1757; and Asa, born May 23, 1760.

The children of David and Precilla (Dunbar) Ripley are not given, except Jonathan, born September 25, 1770, died April 13, 1848, at Spafford, N. Y., married at Hoosick, N. Y., December 14, 1791, Ruth Corey, born February 9, 1776, died in Spafford, N. Y., February 25, 1862.

Jonathan Ripley, by his wife Ruth Corey, had the following children: the first three in Warren County, N. Y., the next six in Hoosick, Rensselaer County, and the last in Spafford, N. Y.: Joshua, born October 5, 1793, died May, 1859, married Mary Ayers at Virgil, Cortland County, January, 1821; Rebecca, born October 7, 1795, married Ripha Worden

December 25, 1816, at Brutus, Cayuga County, N. Y.; James, born October 14, 1797, died September 18, 1859, in Illinois, married Mahala Randall at Spafford, October, 1820; John L., born May 26, 1799, married Clarissa E. Loss, April 6, 1825, at Spafford, N. Y., daughter of Moses and Susanna (Ells) Loss; Whitman, born March 14, 1801, married Thankful Barber, March 1822, at Spafford; Meribah, born February 6, 1803, married Randall Palmer, at Spafford, January 6, 1825; David, born September 16, 1804, died February 8, 1865, in Spafford, married Sarah Jane Eliot, daughter of Elias and Charity (Warner) Eliot, at Geddes, N. Y., his wife, after his decease, married Willard Doty for her second husband; Elsie, born February 9, 1807, died January 7, 1843, at Truxton, buried in Spafford Cemetery, married Stephen Norton, January 24, 1828, at Spafford, N. Y.; Maria, born March 13, 1811, married Lysander Denny May, 1841, at Joliet, Illinois; and Silas C., born April 22, 1813, married Rosina Burgess, June 16, 1837, at Auburn, N. Y. Mr. Ripley came to this town from Hoosick, N. Y., about 1812, and settled upon Ripley Hill, on Lot 32, Tully, where he remained until his decease.)

(Spafford.)

David Ripley, (son of Jonathan and Ruth (Corey) Ripley. Died February 8, 1865, age 61 years.

(Mr. Ripley, like his father, was a farmer, came to this town with his father, and after marriage settled on a farm adjoining his father, on the south, on Ripley Hill, where he resided until his decease. By his wife, Sarah Jane Eliot, he had the following children, all born in this town: Sarah A., married LaFayette Foster, son of Albert and Clarissa (Maxson) Foster; Frances, married James S. Foster, son of Albert and Clarissa (Maxson) Foster; Helen, married Dudley B. Andrews, son of John P. and Harriet Andrews; Charles, married Sophia Andrews, daughter of John P. and Harriet Andrews, (they have had three children: Thomas, Charles, and a daughter who died in infancy), they reside West; George, married Mary Carr, daughter of Almond Carr, (one child died in infancy), resides in Wisconsin; Lucy, married Fred C. Hills,; and James, deceased.)

(Spafford.)

Nellie Verne, daughter of George and Mary (Carr) Ripley. Died February 3, 1873, age 6 months.

"Our Baby."

(Spafford.)

John L. Ripley, son of Jonathan and Ruth (Corey) Ripley. Born May 26, 1799, died September 27, 1887. (No stone).

(He came to this town with his father, and resided on Ripley Hill until the decease of his father, when he moved to a farm on Lot 32, Sempronius, where he died; he married Clarissa E. Loss, April 6, 1825, and by her had the following children, all born in this town: Candace S., born February 20, 1826, married Windsor Holmes, son of John and Lydia (Barnes) Holmes, March 28, 1871, resided in Spafford; David L., born January 16, 1829, married Mary E. Richardson, June 25, 1862, in Sempronius, N. Y., wife dead and he resides in Spafford; Moses D., born May 7, 1830, resides in Charles City Iowa, unmarried; Valencia, born July 9, 1832; Amon J., born November 19, 1834, married Harriet Carr, daughter of Thurston and Lorane (Green) Carr, (one daughter, Flora, married Edwin Morris, son of Uriah and Frances (Worden) Morris, resides in Spafford); Amon J., resides in Glen Haven, N. Y.; Jonathan D., born February 7, 1837, married (1) Elizabeth Hall, daughter of Asa and Laura Ann (Babcock) Hall, and (2) Nellie Hough of Skaneateles, N. Y., resides in Spafford, N. Y.; James W., born February 25, 1839, died May 14, 1843, in Spafford; Calista L., born April 27, 1841, died in Quincy, Michigan, April 13, 1866, married Calvin Hayes, July 4, 1860; George V., born September 5, 1843, married Helen Newland December 31, 1865; Clarissa A., born January 5, 1846, married Arthur Hall, son of Asa and Laura Ann (Babcock) Hall, October 6, 1869, resides in Spafford, N. Y.; and Daniel W., born January 4, 1849, married Lovica Phelps, June 16, 1870.)

(Spafford.)

Clarissa Eells Loss, wife of John L. Ripley. Born December 5, 1807, died November 29, 1891. (No stone.)

(She was a daughter of Moses and Susanna (Eells) Loss, and born in Skaneateles, N. Y. On her mother's side she was descended from John Eells, who came from Barnstable, England, in 1635, and settled in Dorchester, Mass., as

follows: Clarissa, Susanna, Nathaniel, Nathaniel, Samuel, Samuel, John.)

(Spafford.)

Nancy Elizabeth (Hall), wife of Jonathan D. Ripley. Died November 13, 1866, age 28 years, 5 months, 19 days.

(Spafford.)

Nellie I., died Janaury 17, 1877, age 4 months, 15 days.

Charles P. Died June 11, 1878, age 5 years.

Children of Jonathan D. and Nellie I. (Hough) Ripley.

(Spafford.)

Mary E. (Richardson), wife of David L. Ripley. Died October 4, 1870, age 35 years, 10 months, 14 days.

(Spafford.)

Joshua Ripley, the eldest son of Jonathan and Ruth (Corey) Ripley, came to this town with his father, and the members of his family were in early years well known to the people of this town, but we have no record of any dead of his descendants in any of our cemeteries. By his wife, Mary Ayers, he is known to have had the following children: Washington, killed by a falling tree, unmarried; Clorinda, went West with her brother, David Miner; David Miner, married West; William, died unmarried; and John, married Sarah Peek of Truxton, N. Y., he was a soldier in the War of 1861, first resided in Truxton, and then in Homer, N. Y., where he died and was buried, he claimed to have second sight.

John Ripley, (son of Joshua and Mary Ayers Ripley), by his wife Sarah Peck, who was living in Homer, N. Y., in 1898, had the following: Candace Theodosia, married Charles Gillett of Cold Brook, N. Y.; Nelson, bachelor, residing in 1898 in Geddes, N. Y.; Anna, married Henry Fuller, resides with her mother in Homer, N. Y.; George, resides in Homer, N. Y., unmarried; and Jacob, who also resides in Homer, N. Y., unmarried.

ROBERTSON.

James Robertson. Died February 25, 1859, age 78 years, 7 months, 11 days.

(He came from Jackson, Washington County, N. Y., about 1840, and settled on the county line road, on lot 41, Tully, where he remained until his decease; his wife, Isabel Eadie, was a sister of Peter Becker's wife, by her he had: Christia

Ann, married (1) Richard C. Goodrich, and (2) Daniel Lyon, she died in Otisco N. Y.; Elizabeth, married Abiathar Melvin, son of Jabez and Rebecca Melvin, as his second wife, husband dead, and in 1898 she was residing in Nebraska; John, died, (drowned), unmarried; Peter, married Jane Jacobson, resided in Troy, N. Y.; Jane, married Alexander Churchell, son of James and Hannah (Dobbs) Churchell, as his second wife, dead; Agnes, 1898, residing unmarried in Otisco, N. Y.; and Mary, died unmarried.)

(Spafford.)

Isabel (Eadie), wife of James Robertson. Died May 27, 1870, age 85 years, 8 months, 6 days.

“Our Mother.”

(Spafford.)

ROBINSON.

Amy, wife of Archibald Robinson. Born March 28, 1787, died January 14, 1852.

(Archibald Robinson at one time resided on a farm on Lots 10, 11, and 21, Sempronius, in the Nunnery neighborhood.)

(Borodino.)

Mariah, daughter of Richard and Mary Robinson. Died February 26, 1825, age 13 years, 13 days.

(Thorn Hill.)

ROBISON.

Abram Robison. Died July 4, 1878, age 25 years, 11 months, 4 days.

“Gone to rest.”

(He was drowned in Skaneateles Lake, near Ten Mile Point, died unmarried.)

(Borodino.)

ROGERS.

Nettie Eadie, wife of Charles Rogers. Died June 8, 1876, age 19 years, 1 month, 3 days.

“Remember you still.”

(She was a daughter of John W. and Abigail (Doty) Eadie).

(Spafford.)

ROOT.

Norman Root. Born October 25, 1789. Died May 10, 1853.

(By his wife Anna he had: Artemus; Hezekiah, married Diana Scrivnes; Dana; Mary Ann, married Henry Tucker; Jenette, died as a young lady; and Esther, married George H. Anthony. In 1838 he resided on the Williamson Farm, west side of Spafford Hollow, about one mile south of Otisco Lake.)

(Spafford Hollow.)

Anna, wife of Norman Root. Born March 25, 1794, died January 6, 1856.

(Spafford Hollow.)

ROSMAN.

Urania Rosman. Died July 16, 1869, age 69 years.

(She came from Auburn, N. Y., and died at the house of Joel C. Woodworth, unmarried.)

(Spafford.)

ROUNDS.

Russel Rounds. Died April 11, 1856, age 38 years, 14 days.

(He married Lydia Harrington, daughter of John and Catherine Harrington, and by her had the following children: Matilda, married Alexander Green, blacksmith, at Spafford Corners, he died 1899 and she now resides in Spafford; Minerva, married Allen Breed, son of Rufus and Mehitable Breed, he is dead and she resides in Spafford; Lucy, married Henry B. Knapp, son of Augustus Knapp, and (2) Joseph Leffingwell, resides in Spafford; and Anna, married John Odell, resides in Spafford. Mr. Rounds was drowned at New Hope, N. Y., and his widow in 1898 resided with her daughter, Mrs. Odell, in Spafford.)

(Spafford.)

ROUNDY.

Asahel Roundy, (son of Uriah and Lucretia Needham). Died February 1, 1857, age 72 years, 6 months.

(He came to this town about 1807 from Rockingham, Vt., where he was born, and remained here until his death, first residing on Lot 22, Tully, where part of his children were born, and afterwards on the State's Hundred Acres on Lot

21, Tully. He was of the seventh generation, in line of descent from Philip Roundy, who died in Salem, Mass., in 1678. The first wife of Philip Roundy is not known, but in November, 1671, he married Anna Bush at Salem for a second wife; he had by his first wife: Robert, died at Beverly, Mass., November 16, 1715, married Deborah Plumb, July 13, 1678; Mark, he was a soldier in King Philip's War, and was wounded in the Narragansett Battle in December 1675; and by his second wife he had Mary, married Thomas Walter, April 19, 1695.

Robert Roundy (son of Philip) was a Coaster, and was sometimes called Doctor, he had a warehouse in Beverly. By his wife, Deborah Plumb, he had: Elizabeth, John, Mary, Deborah, Esther and Benjamin.

John Roundy (son of Robert), resided first in Beverly, and second in Marblehead, Mass.; he married (1) December 2, 1703, in Beverly, Mary Daland, (and by her had: Robert and Lydia), and (2) Elizabeth Savery at Marblehead, and by her had: John, Elizabeth, Martha, Sarah, Joseph, Abraham and Thomas.

Robert Roundy, (son of John and Mary (Daland) Roundy), was born January 7, 1704, in Beverly, and died in Lempster, N. H., June 17, 1797; he was a weaver by trade and settled in Windham, Conn., where he remained, during the birth of his children, and until the decease of his wife, April 3, 1781, and then went to Lempster to reside with his son, Samuel, where he died and was buried. By his wife, Elizabeth Green, he had: John, Samuel, Robert, Elizabeth, and Mary.

John Roundy, (son of Robert and Elizabeth (Green) Roundy), born August 23, 1726, in Windham, died in Rockingham, Vt., married Mary Bass, born in Windham, Conn., June 20, 1729, daughter of Thomas and Dorothy (Parish) Bass, and by her had: John, Almond, Elmariah and Uriah. Mr. Roundy was elected at the organization of the town of Rockingham, as its first Representative. He was commonly called Captain in the public records, and all his sons served as soldiers in the War of the Revolution.

Uriah Roundy, (son of John and Mary (Bass) Roundy), born October 27, 1756, died May 1, 1813, in Rockingham, Vt., married Lucretia Needham, daughter of Daniel and Hannah (Allen) Needham, born in Norwich, Conn., Sep-

tember 9, 1760, died in Michigan, December 5 1848, she at one time resided with her son, Asahel Roundy, in Spafford, N. Y. Mr. Roundy, by his wife, Lucretia, had the following children, all born in Rockingham, Vermont: Daniel, born December 1, 1780, died December 3, 1847, married (1) Laura Hoyt, and (2) Ruth Baird, December 23, 1821, at Spafford, N. Y., he first settled in Spafford and then moved West, where he died; Hannah, born June 19, 1782, married Silas Baird, in Rockingham, Vt., June 28, 1804, she and her husband both died in Ripley, Chautauqua County, N. Y., where their descendants remain; Asahel, born July 29, 1784, died February 1, 1857, married Hannah Weston at Skaneateles, N. Y., January 19, 1809, daughter of Jonathan and Mary Weston; Lucy, born March 9, 1797, died June 2, 1850, married Lauren Hotchkiss, they were father and mother of the Rev. Velona Hotchkiss, D. D., Baptist Devine, who died in Buffalo, N. Y.; Shadrack, born January 1, 1789, died July 2, 1872, in Salt Lake City, Utah, married Betsey Quimby; Naomi born February 1, 1791, died June 7, 1820, married John Baird; Lucretia born March 6, 1793, died unmarried; Maria, born May 10, 1794, died 1890, married John Hutchens in Spafford in 1816, (brother of Col. Phineas Hutchens of this town), descendants mostly in Wisconsin; Uriah, born April 10, 1796, married (1) Polly Lyon at Spafford, sister of Daniel and David Lyon, and (2) Rena Bristol. He died in Iowa in 1870; Mary, born May 23, 1798, married Baxter Lyon; Almira, born April 20, 1800, died April 8, 1883, married (1) Warren Sabin in 1822, and (2) Morgan Williams in 1842; and Matilda, born October 22, 1803, married George Humphrey, resided in Medina, N. Y.

Daniel Roundy, (son of Uriah and Lucretia), by his wife Laura Hoyt, had: Lucretia, born August 17, 1810, married at Spafford, Joel H. Grout, son of John and Elizabeth (Clark) Grout, husband died in this town and she moved to Chicago, Ill., and by his second wife, Ruth Baird, (born October 15, 1799, at Granville, Washington County, N. Y., died in Illinois in 1893), he had the following: Jay, died at Manteno, Iowa, February 2, 1893, married Sarah German, January 1, 1853; Jane, born April 8, 1823, died young; Dr. Daniel Curtis, born 1824, died in Chicago, Ill., June 1897, married Elizabeth Young. He was a soldier in the War of 1861, Capt. 4th Wis. Cav. Vols., and

also Surgeon in 37th Wis. Inft. Vols., wife died November 6, 1898; Spencer Beard, died in Brooklyn, N. Y., January 6, 1861, unmarried; and Porter W., married Ann Young, resides at Davenport, Iowa, he was also soldier in the War of 1861, 2nd Lieut. 4th Wis. Cav. Vols., and Hospital Steward in 37th Wis. Inft. Vols.

Shadrack Roundy, (son of Uriah and Lucretia), was one of the trustees of the Free Will Baptist Church in Spafford, at its organization, December 13, 1825, and left that church about 1832, and joined the Mormons and followed their movements, first to Pennsylvania, then to Ohio, then to Nauvoo, and finally at Salt Lake, Utah, where he died. In the latter church he was prominent, and from time to time held civil, military and religious offices with the Mormon organization, and by that people was recognized at the time of his decease, as patriarch and saint. By his wife, Betsey Quimby, he had the following children, several of whom were born in Spafford: Lauren Hotchkiss, born August 21, 1815, married (1) Johanna Carter, 1843, (2) Jane Coyle, and (3) Martha; Julia Rebecca, born April 5, 1817, died in 1837 in Missouri, unmarried; Bishop Lorenzo Wesley, born in Spafford, June 18, 1819, accidentally drowned in Colorado River, May 24, 1876, married (1) Adeline Whiting in 1843, she died in 1845, and he married (2) Susannah Wallace, and (3) 1858, (Plural wife) Priscilla Parish. (By his first wife he had two children, by his second eight, and by his third (plural) seven children. His descendants are numerous, residing in Utah; Lauretta, born November, 1821, married David H. Beck at Nauvoo, Ill., 1841, and moved to Utah (she had ten children); Samantha, born June 2, 1824, married John David Parker, February 3, 1846, no issue; Bishop Jared Curtis, born January 5, 1827, in Spafford, married (1) Lovisa Jenny, January, 1852, (2) Eliza J. Snyder in 1855, (3) Elizabeth Drake, January, 1879, and (4) Ellen M. White, December 20, 1883, the last three were plural wives, he died May 21, 1895,. By his first wife he had nine children, and by his last (plural) he had five children, by the other two plural wives he had no issue, his descendants are numerous in Utah; Almeda Sophia, born March 7, 1829, in Spafford, and married John David Parker, February 3, 1846, the husband of her sister Samantha, as his plural wife, both

being married the same day, she has had ten children, resided in Utah; William Kelsham, born November, 1831, died August 14, 1839; Nancy Jane, born May 23, 1834, died July 6, 1885, has been twice married and had nine children; and Malinda, born June 23, 1838, died March 8, 1842, at Nauvoo, Ill. The descendants of Shadrack Roundy in Utah will exceed two hundred in number.

Uriah Roundy, (son of Uriah and Lucretia), came to Spafford early, and there married his first wife; he was also a member of the Free Will Baptist Church, and joined the Mormon Exodus from Spafford about 1833, and went to Pennsylvania, Ohio and Illinois, but when the Latter Day Saints started for Salt Lake City he left them near Council Bluff, Iowa, and renouncing polygamy joined and assisted in organizing, at Gallows Hill, Iowa, the Reformed Mormon Church, which exists at that place to this day. He died in Iowa. His children by his first wife were mostly born in Spafford, they were: John, born December 6, 1818, married (1) Sarah Shearer, and (2) Frances J. Jones, farmer, resides at Moulton, Iowa, has had nine children; Mary, died at 28 years, married Gilbert Miller; David LaFayette, died in infancy; Washington, born in Spafford, September 26, 1824, married (1) Serelda Iler, and (2) Alvira Williams, and (3) Mrs. Nancy Black, he has had eleven children, farmer, has been a member of the Iowa Legislature, resides at Manteno, Iowa; Jenette, born 1826, married Thomas Putnam, eight children, resides in Iowa; Asahel, born September 10, 1828, married Sarah Vanausdall, March 20, 1853, at Gallows Hill, Iowa, he died June 6, 1878 ten children residing mostly in Shelby County, Iowa; Alma, died in infancy; Zebedee, born in 1834, and died in 1855; and Martha, married Alexander Black and had eleven children.

Capt. Asahel Roundy, (son of Uriah and Lucretia), came to this town or horseback from Rockingham, Vt., about 1807, and two years afterwards married his wife, Hannah Weston, with whom he became acquainted while she was teaching school at Spafford Corners, she coming here for that purpose on horseback, from her home in Skaneateles Village; by her he had the following children, all born in Spafford: Lucretia, born April 25, 1810, died in Syracuse, N. Y., married (1) Dr. Horatio Smith of Otisco, N. Y., and (2) John Lathrop at Syracuse, N. Y., November 24, 1852,

she died without issue, buried in Oakwood Cemetery, Syracuse, N. Y.; Gordon N., born December 4, 1811, died February 17, 1896, at Turner, Illinois, married Maria L. Kimble, October, 1840, (his children, all born in Turner, Illinois, are: Charles Franklin, Asahel Madison, James E., (the foregoing died in infancy), Mary Ellen, Maria Louisa, Charles William, Lucy Jane, Margaret Elvira (died in infancy), Carrie Elizabeth, Franklin Gordon, and Kate Linda); Mary Ann, born January 31, 1813, married Dr. John Collins, April 4, 1832, at Spafford, husband dead, and she resides, 1899, with her son, Capt. George K. Collins, in Syracuse, N. Y.; Lizana, born March 29, 1814, married Seymour N. Wood, June 9, 1831, husband dead, and she resides (1899) with her daughter, Mrs. M. Adelle Miller, at Onondaga Valley, N. Y.; Nancy M., born June 28, 1816, died April 18, 1895, married Levi Hurlbut, December 13, 1838, both dead, and buried in Oakwood Cemetery, Syracuse, N. Y.; Asahel Madison born April 29, 1818, died August 19, 1857, married Melissa Andrews, daughter of Rev. Benjamin and Mary Andrews, his widow resides in Auburn, N. Y., his only child: Adelphene, died unmarried at Auburn, N. Y.; Uriah, born July 24, 1819, married Mary Ann Tinkham, daughter of Russel and Mary (Cook) Tinkham, April 3, 1842, resides in Spafford, N. Y., has been Loan Commissioner, Justice of the Sessions, Supervisor, Justice of the Peace, Postmaster and Excise Commissioner; Franklin, born April 28, 1822, died in Michigan, January 30, 1896, married Orissa Fisher, daughter of Dakin and Sally (Youst) Fisher, blacksmith by trade, and was farrier in Company "G," 4th Mich. Cav. Vols. in the War of 1861; and Prof. Charles Orlando, born May 18, 1823, died September 30, 1892, married Nancy Burroughs of Skaneateles, N. Y., October 26, 1848, he was a teacher and A. M. from Hamilton College, among other places he taught was as Principal of the Skaneateles Academy, Moravia Academy, and Syracuse High School, his widow still survives and resides at Moravia, N. Y. Capt. Asahel Roundy received his rank as Captain from the State of New York, he commanded a Company in the 98th N. Y. Militia in the War of 1812, in a short tour of duty at Sacketts Harbor, N. Y., in the Fall of 1814. He was prominent in town affairs, and during his active life held prominent town offices, such as

Supervisor, and Justice of the Peace, he was also Postmaster.

Uriah Roundy, (son of Capt. Asahel and Hannah), by his wife, Mary Ann Tinkham, has two children: Adelbert, born April 14, 1848, at Spafford, N. Y., married Juliette Little, daughter of Hon. Feremorz Little of Salt Lake City, Utah, merchant, residing at Salt Lake, Utah, (four children born at latter place: Mary, Florence, Jay T., and Dorothy); and Jay C., born July 3, 1851, married (1) Alice A. Hill, daughter of William and Mary Jane (Vincent) Hill, and (2) Nettie Warner, daughter of Edward Warner, rancher, resides at Haden, Fremont Co., Idaho, (three children: Pearl, Frank, and Adelbert). Mr. and Mrs. Roundy also had one adopted son, Charles Weston, who was a first cousin of Mr. Roundy, being a son of Columbus and _____ (Delano) Weston of Skaneateles, N. Y., he was a member of the 76th Regt. N. Y. Vols. Inft., War of 1861, and is now deceased.

Franklin Roundy, (son of Capt. Asahel and Hannah), moved to Dorence, Branch Co., Mich., where he died; by his wife, Orrissa Fisher, he had the following children, two first of whom were born in Spafford, and the others in Michigan: Flora Elizabeth, born March 26, 1852; Evangeline, born October 1, 1853; Asahel, born January 25, 1858; and Charles, born February 15, 1860. The widow of Mr. Roundy is still living in Michigan.

Charles O. Roundy, (son of Capt. Asahel and Hanah), by his wife Nancy Burroughs had five children, the first four in Syracuse, and the last in Moravia: Frances Adelle, born May 23, 1852; Mary Ella, born March 29, 1858, married and resides in Moravia, N. Y.; Sarah B., born December 25, 1859, married and esides in Moravia, N. Y.; Charles B., born March 7, 1868, died January 9, 1871; and Charles O., born September 20, 1872, married and resides in Skaneateles, N. Y. Mr. Roundy's widow is still living and resides at Moravia, N. Y.

(Spafford.)

Hannah (Weston), wife of Capt. Asahel Roundy. Died October 22, 1855, age 68 years, 1 month.

(She was born at Fitzwilliam, N. H., September 22, 1786, and came to Skaneateles Village with her parents on or before 1800, and resided in early childhood in a log house,

situate between the Skaneateles and Hamilton Turnpike and the Lake, on the site of the present residence of Mr. Poor in that Village.)

(Spafford.)

Uriah Roundy. Born July 24, 1819, died May 29, 1902.

Mary A. (w.). Born June 29, 1820. She is now deceased.

Asahel Madison Roundy, (son of Capt. Asahel and Hannah (Weston) Roundy). Died August 19, 1857, age 39 years, 3 months, 20 days.

(He was a merchant at Spafford Corners at the time of his decease.)

(Spafford.)

Charles Weston, adopted son of Uriah and Mary Ann (Tinkham) Roundy. Died July 10, 1865, age 21 years, 9 months.

(For three years he was a member of Company "D," 76th Regt. N. Y. Vols. Inf.)

(Spafford.)

ROWEN.

John Rowen. Died October 15, 1858, age 79 years.

(Borodino.)

Nancy, wife of John Rowen. Died September 17, 1847, age 58 years.

"Oh! how sweet to sleep in Jesus."

Sophia M. (Berry), wife of John J. Rowen. Died May 19, 1879, age 65 years, 2 months, 24 days.

(John J. Rowen, son of John Rowen, married Sophia M. Berry, daughter of Jonathan and Thankful Berry; they had one daughter, who married a Mr. James Murphy and now resides in Spafford.)

(Borodino.)

RUST.

Jehiel Rust. Died February 16, 1845, age 78 years, 4 months, 16 days.

(Mr. Rust came to this town before 1815, and that year settled on a farm of 60 acres on Lot 74, Marcellus, purchased of Alexander M. Beebe; by his wife Polly he left no issue. In his will dated March 23, 1837, and probated May

3, 1848, he mentions his wife Mary and Zipporah and John Chappell, children of Martin Chappell.)

(Thorn Hill.)

Polly, wife of Jehiel Rust. Died July 7, 1842, age 73 years, 11 months, 11 days.

(Thorn Hill.)

SANFORD.

In memory of Lucy Ann H. Sanford, who died June 10, 1837, in the 4th year of her age.

(Spafford.)

SEELY.

Samuel G. Seely. Died September 10, 1852, age 77 years, 8 months, 2 days.

(He came to this town before 1807, and settled on a farm situate in the southwest corner of Lot 12, Tully, where he remained until the time of his decease. He was a member of Captain Asahel Roundy's Company, in the 98th N. Y. Militia, and served a short tour of duty near Sackett's Harbor, N. Y., in the Fall of 1814, in the War of 1812. By his wife, Adah Fowler, he had: Polly, married Lemuel D. Smith of Cold Brook, N. Y., (eleven children); Cynthia, she died October 6, 1869, age 70 years, unmarried; Sally, married, Alvin Churchill, son of John and Martha Churchill, both dead, and buried in Cold Brook Cemetery; Huldah, married William Bell; Philura, married (1) Mr. Eldridge, and (2) Russel M. Burdick, she had one son, Samuel Eldridge, by her first husband, and a daughter, Mary Burdick, married William Cullen Bockus, by her second husband; Hiram, married Betsey Jane Jacobs, daughter of Elias and Betsey J. Jacobs, of Spafford Hollow, both dead, and buried in this cemetery; Adelia, married James Bell; and Clarissa, died February 9, 1826, age 17 years.)

(Spafford.)

Adah (Fowler), wife of Samuel G. Seely. Died June 13, 1852, age 77 years, 10 months, 2 days.

(Spafford.)

Clarissa. Died February 9, 1826, age 17 years, 5 months, 3 days.

Cyntha. Died October 6, 1869, age 70 years, 25 days. Daughters of Samuel G. and Adah (Fowler) Seely.

(Spafford.)

Hiram Seely, (son of Samuel G. and Adah (Fowler) Seely). Danied January 1, 1883, age 68 years, 2 months, 7 days.

“ He has gone to his loved ones.”

(He resided on the old homestead with his father, where he died; by his wife, Betsey Jane Jacobs, he had: Marcus N., died March 14, 1892, age 53 years, married Orissa T. Filkins, daughter of George D. and Margaret (Fisher) Filkins, wife still living in Syracuse, N. Y.; and Orlando R., married Anna Eddy, farmer, resides in Homer, N. Y.)

(Spafford.)

Betsey J. (Jacobs), wife of Hiram Seely. Died April 19, 1881, age 63 years, 5 months.

“ She rests in Heaven.”

(Spafford.)

Marcus N. Seely, (son of Hiram and Betsey J. (Jacobs) Seely. Died March 14, 1892, age 53 years.

(By his wife, Orissa T. Filkins, he had two children: Eugene, died young in 1862; and Carrie, married Herbert C. Faxton of Syracuse, N. Y., husband works for Solvay Process Company. Marcus resided during his lifetime on the old Seely Homestead, on Lot 12, Tully, he was a farmer.)

(Spafford.)

Eugene, infant son of Marcus N. and Orrissa T. (Filkins) Seely. Died in the year 1862.

(Spafford.)

Francis Irvin, son of Orlando R. and Anna (Eddy) Seely. Died November 5, 1881, age 8 years, 8 days.

(Spafford.)

SESSIONS.

Amasa Sessions, son of Nathaniel and Irene (Wales) Sessions). Died November 13, 1838, age 59 years.

(Amasa Sessions was born in Union, Conn., June 30, 1779, and came to the town of Skaneateles in October, 1798; he was supposed to have been descended from Samuel Sessions, who came to this country from Wantage, Berkshire Co., England, in 1630, and settled in Andover, Mass., as follows: Samuel, Alexander, Nathaniel, Amasa, Nathaniel, Amasa. His father, Nathaniel Session, was born in Pomfret, and settled in Union, Conn., where he died, October 5, 1824;

he married (1) Irene Wales, November 16, 1775, she died December 3, 1793, and he married for a second wife Fanny Chandler. Amasa Sessions, in a letter dated in 1838, in speaking of his father, says: "My father, Nathaniel, died at Union in 1824, age 74, and my mother in 1793. They were members of the Congregational Church. He had two wives, by whom he had six children each: Amasa, Ebenezer, (born May 11, 1781), of Skaneateles; Susan Wright, at Vernon, N. Y.; Irene, died at Chautauqua; Lydia Chapman, in Onondaga; Nathaniel, with his six sons and three daughters, in Ionia, Mich.; Col. Moses Chandler Sessions, at Union, Conn.; Polly, died at Union, Fanny Eaton, Darius and Eliza Webster, with their families, are at Macomb Co., Mich.; and Hannah, at Marcellus."

Amasa Sessions, (son of Nathaniel), married (1) Sila _____, (2) Phebe Robins Smith, and (3) _____, resided on Lot 59, Marcellus, in the town of Skaneateles, N. Y., where he died. In the same letter, spoken of above, he says: "I have nine children by my second wife, with whom I lived twenty-nine years, to wit: Sila Bennett, wife of Bennett, publisher of Baptist Register, and my youngest, Phebe, (Hon. Sidney Smith says her name was Elizabeth and not Phebe), who dwells at Utica, N. Y., Alonzo, Job S., George M., Amasa, John, Darius, and Jane M. Yates, all at Ionia, on Grand River, Michigan." John Sessions, became a lawyer and settled in Brooklyn, N. Y., with an office at No. 10 Wall St., New York City; and Alonzo Sessions, settled in Ionia, Michigan, where he became a man of wealth and influence, he not only held from time to time various town offices, but was Sheriff of his county, and Lieut. Governor of the State of Michigan, he was a member of the State Constitutional Convention, member of the State Legislature, and President of the First Ionia National Bank, and the Farmer's Insurance Company. All three of Amasa Sessions' wives were born in Connecticut.)

(Thorn Hill.)

Sila Sessions, (wife of Amasa Sessions). Died January 20, 1808, age 29 years.

(Thorn Hill.)

Phebe (Smith), wife of Amasa Sessions. Died May 25, 1837, age 53 years.

(Thorn Hill.)

Dea. Ebenezer Sessions, (son of Nathaniel and Irene (Wales) Sessions). Died December 25, 1855, age 74 years, 7 months, 13 days.

(Thorn Hill.)

Mary, wife of Dea. Ebenezer Sessions. Died November 11, 1858, age 80 years, 3 months, 19 days.

(Thorn Hill.)

In memory of Susan, daughter of Ebenezer and Mary Sessions. Died April 7, 1839, age 27 years, 4 months, 7 days.

(Thorn Hill.)

SHARP.

Chester Sharp. Died May 11, 1840, age 72 years.

(He married Anice Churchill, daughter of John and Martha Churchill, and had among other children, Mary A., who married Ranford R. Bates. His wife, who survived him, married (2) Philip Pickett.)

(Cold Brook.)

Harriet E., daughter of John Wm. and Lydia A. (Underwood) Sharp. Died February 23, 1843, age 1 year, 5 months.

(John Wm. Sharp, son of Chester and Anice (Churchill) Sharp, married (1) Lydia A. Underwood, and (2) Phebe Isdell, daughter of Andrew and Mary (Harris) Isdell, and widow of William Bacon. He practiced law in Justice's Courts, and was a farmer by occupation. He had a daughter by his first wife: Olive A., who married William Kelsey.)

(Cold Brook.)

SHAW.

James Shaw. Died November 14, 1858, age 63 years.

(Mr. Shaw, for many years before his decease, resided near the westerly line of Lot 45, in the town of Tully, in a little huddle commonly called "Shawville," and kept a small store at that place; he had a very respectable family of girls, who married into well known Spafford families.)

(Spafford Hollow.)

SHELDEN.

William Shelden. Born December 3, 1756, died July 27, 1805, at Stephentown, N. Y., married November 18, 1779, at Stephentown, N. Y., Abigail Udell, born August 4, 1762, died May 12, 1836, at Spafford, and was buried at Thorn Hill. Mrs. Sheldon, after the decease of Mr. Sheldon, married Hezekiah Mason, November 14, 1811. Several of the children of Mr. and Mrs. Shelden also came to this town, they were as follows: Abigail, born December 25, 1780; William, born January 20, 1783; Benjamin, born January 5, 1785; Lionel, born October 16, 1787; Allen, born August 11, 1789; Alanson, born December 19, 1791, died May 16, 1819; Anna, born June 10, 1794, died September 5, 1867, at Spafford, N. Y., married Asa Mason, son of Hezekiah and Sally Mason, May 10, 1812, she was buried in Borodino Cemetery; Asa, born April 13, 1796; Erastus, born June 17, 1798, died August 21, 1832; Diadama, born June 10, 1800, died March, 1801; and Diana, born July 30, 1804, died at residence of Hon. Sidney Smith, in Skaneateles, N. Y., May 19, 1892, married Charles A. Calkins, May 21, 1831, and settled at Thorn Hill, her husband was born September 2, 1805. Diana was the mother of Jennie A. Calkins, second wife of Hon. Sidney Smith, and George A. Calkins, of Chicago, Ill. She was buried in Lake View Cemetery, Skaneateles, N. Y.

SHELDON.

Caleb Sheldon, son of Joseph and Jemima (Carr) Sheldon, was born in Rensselaer County, N. Y., near Stephentown; his parents came from Massachusetts and Connecticut. He married Lillis Howard, daughter of Sylvester Howard, at Stephentown, N. Y., and settled at Rutland, Jefferson County, N. Y., and from there came to this town in 1837, and settled on a farm east of Borodino Village, where he resided for many years. He died at Onondaga Valley, and was buried in Oakwood Cemetery. His children were: Catherine, died unmarried, buried Oakwood Cemetery, Syracuse, N. Y.; Lansing, married Emily A. Cleveland, daughter of Benajah and Mary (Clark) Cleveland, wife died at Syracuse, (Oakwood Cemetery), and he resides at 207 Cortland Ave., Syracuse, N. Y.; Sylvester

Howard, married Jane Ferry, daughter of Chester and Saba (Buffington) Ferry, both dead, and buried in Oakwood Cemetery.

Lansing Sheldon, (son of Caleb and Lillis), by his wife Emily A. Ferry, had: Harriet, married Henry Hinman, son of George and Ruth (Smith) Hinman, as his third wife, resides in Syracuse, N. Y.; and Lansing Grant, married Anna Hastings of Onondaga Valley, and resides in Syracuse, N. Y.

SHERWOOD.

Emily J., daughter of Jacob W. and Sarah Sherwood. Died February 5, 1848, age 17 years, 4 months, 21 days.
(Borodino.)

SKELLIE.

Helen, daughter of William I. and Betsey (Boughton) Skellie. Died July 30, 1848, age 20 years, 7 months, 20 days.

"She was a dear daughter, kind sister and dear friend,
To her happiness and wishes was ready to attend,
In her long and painful illness not a word of complaint,
She was always a tried and obedient Saint."

(William I. Skellie came to this town from Cambridge, Washington County, N. Y., about June 1, 1826, and settled on a farm on the east side of the Skaneateles and Homer road, on Lot 42, Tully; he married Betsey Boughton, daughter of Azer and Elizabeth (Nickerson) Boughton, of Washington County, N. Y., and by her had: Amanda D., married Nathan Culver, son of Moses and Amy (Boughton) Culver, of Cambridge, N. Y., husband dead, and she resides (1899) in Syracuse, N. Y.; James V., married Esther Williamson, daughter of James and Hannah Williamson, of Spafford Hollow, she died in Scott, N. Y., his residence not known, (two children buried in this Cemetery); Helen, died in Spafford, July 30, 1848, unmarried; Marion B., married Helen Newell, son of Stephen and Mary (Cuykendall) Newell husband dead, and in 1898 she resided in Buffalo, N. Y. (one child, Skellie H. Newell); and Josephine C., married Elisha Hewett of Buffalo, N. Y. Mr. and Mrs. Skellie died in Scott, and were buried in the Seventh Day Baptist Cemetery at that place.)

(Spafford.)

Harley J., son of James and Esther (Williamson) Skellie. Died September 28, 1863, age 13 years, 11 months, 24 days.

(Spafford.)

Florence Virginia, daughter of James and Esther (Williamson) Skellie. Died December 20, 1849, age 1 year, 20 days.

“This lovely bud was nipped so soon,
To rise and bloom beyond the tomb.”

(Spafford.)

William Skellie, a nephew of William I. Skellie, formerly resided in the Nunnery neighborhood in this town, he married Lucinda Foster. He was a blacksmith by trade, and once worked in the Village of Borodino. He moved to Chautauqua County, and was at one time employed by the Chautauqua Park Assembly Association—dead.

Alexander Skellie also came from Cambridge, Washington County, N. Y., and about April 26, 1828, settled on Lot 10, Sempronius, his wife's given name was Martha.

SMITH.

Ruth, wife of Ira Smith. Died August 23, 1851, age 59 years, 5 months, 17 days.

(Ira Smith came to Spafford and settled on Lot 23, Tully, in Spafford Hollow, on or before January 1, 1829; his children were: William; Franklin, married Marietta Parker, daughter of Samuel and Amy Parker; Ira, Jr., married Emeline P. Dunbar, daughter of Thaddeus and Caroline M. Dunbar, he moved to Michigan; Chester; Louisa, married Gordon Bailey; and Abigail, married Alphonso Kinney.)

(Spafford Hollow.)

Marietta (Parker), wife of Franklin Smith. Died May 8, 1855, age 42 years, 8 months, 1 day.

(Spafford Hollow.)

Caroline, daughter of Ira and Emeline P. (Dunbar) Smith. Died February 10, 1851, age 1 year, 6 months, 12 days.

“This lovely bud was nipped so soon
To rise and bloom beyond the tomb.”

(Spafford.)

Alice A., daughter of Ira and Emeline P. (Dunbar) Smith. Died October 10, 1852, age 1 month, 20 days.

"Alice! thine angel visit cheered our lone hearts awhile,
Then left us. Oh, why is it thou did'st not longer stay."

(Spafford.)

Horace Smith. Died August 8, 1862, age 61 years.

"Our Father."

(Mr. Smith came to this town from Fabius, N. Y., before 1848, and settled on the farm now (1899) owned by Col. Edwin S. Jenney, on Lot 32, Sempronius; from there he moved to a farm on Lots 32 and 33, Tully, in Cold Brook, about 1855, and there remained until his decease. His children, excepting the youngest one, were by his first wife, whose name is not given; he married for a second wife Clarissa G. Reynolds, who survived him, and after his decease married Albert Foster, for his second wife. His children, mentioned in the petition of his wife, Clarissa G., dated August 25, 1862, for Letters of Administration upon his estate, were: Joseph R., of Salmon River, Oregon Territory; Harriet E., wife of David Spaulding of Monticello, Cowlitz County, Oregon Territory; Mary C., wife of Henry S. Alvord of Homer, N. Y.; Horace, of Homer, N. Y.; Maria J., wife of Thomas H. Alvord, of White Water, Kings County, Washington Territory; Levi G., of White Water, Kings Co., Washington Territory; Rollin C., of Jacksonville, Oregon Territory; and Frederick R., (then a minor) of Spafford, N. Y.)

(Cold Brook.)

Eliza Smith, (wife of David Smith). Died September 26, 1887, age 64 years.

"Dear Mother."

(David Smith lived in the Kellogg Settlement, in Cold Brook, in the town of Scott; his wife Eliza was from Cazenovia. Josie E. Smith, daughter of David and Eliza Smith, married a Mr. Collins. Flora A. Smith, another daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Smith, died unmarried.)

(Cold Brook.)

Josie E. Smith, daughter of David and Eliza Smith. Died November 14, 1880, age 26 years.

(Cold Brook.)

Flora A. Smith, daughter of David and Eliza Smith. Died June 19, 1885, age 28 years.

(Cold Brook.)

Lucilla, daughter of Lemuel D. and Polly (Seeley) Smith. Died October 31, 1842, age 2 years, 3 months, 14 days.

(Lemuel D. Smith resided in Cold Brook; he married Polly Seeley, daughter of Samuel G. and Adah (Fowler) Seeley, and by her had the following children, in addition to the two whose deaths are here recorded in this cemetery: Melvina, unmarried; Parmelia, married a Mr. Harrington; Julania, married a Mr. Goodwin; Welcome S., married a Miss Knight; Dwight, married a Miss Knight, a sister of his brother Welcome's wife; Jane, unmarried; Louisa, unmarried; and Alvira, married a Mr. Webster.)

(Cold Brook.)

Ann Eliza, daughter of Lemuel D. and Polly (Seeley) Smith. Died January 21, 1852, age 19 years, 8 months, 29 days.

(Cold Brook.)

Isaiah D. Smith. Died November 28, 1868, age 78 years, 2 months, 11 days.

(Mr. Smith came to this town from Bennington, Genesee County, N. Y., January 24, 1819, and settled on Lot 10, Sempronius; his first wife, Rachel, died in 1826, and he then married the widow Juliette Hall.)

(Borodino.)

Rachel, wife of Isaiah D. Smith. Died March 5, 1826, age 30 years.

(Borodino.)

Juliette (Hall), wife of Isaiah D. Smith. Died December 15, 1861, age 55 years, 6 months.

(Borodino.)

Caroline, daughter of Isaiah D. and Rachel Smith. Died 1822.

(Borodino.)

Helen, daughter of Isaiah D. and Rachel Smith. Died April 13, 1842, age 3 years, 2 months, 22 days.

(Borodino.)

Sarah L. (Smith), wife of William B. Smith. Died August 8, 1874, age 21 years.

(William B. Smith, son of Isaiah D. and Juliette (Hall) Smith, married Sarah L. Smith, daughter of Jessey Smith).

(Borodino.)

In memory of Job Smith. Died January 16, 1827, age 80 years.

(He was born in Norwalk, Conn., and married there Elizabeth Keeler; from there he first settled in Greenfield, Greene County, N. Y., and from there came to this town, about February 25, 1806, and settled on a part of the State's Hundred Acres, on Lot 74, Marcellus. He was Paymaster in the War of the Revolution. By his wife, Elizabeth Keeler, who was also born in Norwalk, Conn., he had the following children: William, married Mary ———, he was a farmer and settled in Richmond, Ontario County, N. Y., he never came to this town; Sarah, married Mr. Shepard in Greene County, N. Y., she never came here, she had a son, Cyrus Smith Shepard, who resided with his maternal grand parents in this town, and went to California, where he died; Elizabeth, died unmarried at Thorn Hill; Stephen, married Freelove Green, he was a farmer and carpenter, and died at Thorn Hill, December 27, 1825; Phebe, married Amasa Sessions as his second wife, she died at Thorn Hill, she had a son, Alonzo Sessions, who settled in Ionia, Michigan, and became very wealthy, he was President of a bank in Ionia, Member of the Michigan Legislature on several occasions, Sheriff of the county of his residence, President of the State Constitutional Convention of Michigan, and once Lieutenant Governor of that State. Another of her sons: John Sessions, was a lawyer in Brooklyn, N. Y., and married Elizabeth Fisher, a niece of Bishop Huntington, of Syracuse, N. Y. She also had a grandson, John Sessions, Jr., who was also a lawyer, and married a daughter of Bishop Huntington; Lewis, married Chloe Benson; Charles, married Sophia Bull, he died in Skaneateles at the age of 34 years; Seth, married Lois Hecox, sister of Col. Warren Hecox of Skaneateles, he moved to Lyons, N. Y.; and Cyrus, married Lucinda Harvey, daughter of Medad and Anar (Buell) Harvey, he was a merchant and settled in Marengo, Wayne County, N. Y. From there he moved to Clyde, and then to Chautauqua County, N. Y. From Chautauqua County he moved to California, where he was engaged in the milling business at the time of his decease.

Lewis Smith, (the fourth son of Job), was a Lieutenant in Col. Warren Hecox's Regiment of New York Militia, in the War of 1812, and served in a short tour of duty in defence of Sackett's Harbor, in the year 1814, and was dis-

charged at Smith's Mills, N. Y. He was prominent in town and county politics, he served as Supervisor and Justice of the Peace in the town of Marcellus, (now Spafford), as Sheriff of the County of Onondaga (1826 to 1828), and was Member of Assembly in the New York Legislature, 1820, 1821, 1829, and at the time of his decease, which occurred at Thorn Hill, at the age of 43 years. He was a farmer and resided on a farm on Lot 74, Marcellus, adjoining that of his father, Job Smith. His wife was Chloe Benson, daughter of Elkanah Benson, a native of Mendon, Mass., and who, at the time of the marriage, resided at a place known as "Benson Street," at the southwest corner of the town of Skaneateles. By his wife Chloe, Mr. Smith had the following children, all born in this town near Thorn Hill: Hon. Sidney, born in 1815, married (1) Adeline E. Blodgett, of Chautauqua County, N. Y., and (2) Jennie E. Calkins, daughter of Charles A. and Diana (Shelden) Calkins, after marriage he resided on the old homestead until 1870, and then settled in Skaneateles Village, where he resided until his decease in 1900, he held various offices in his native town, among which were: Justice of the Peace, Supervisor, Town Superintendent, and Inspector of Schools, and Member of Assembly in the New York Legislature, in the year 1857, he claimed in 1899 to be the oldest living native of the Marcellus end of the town of Spafford; Mary, residing (1898) in Skaneateles, unmarried; William, he was educated in Homer Academy and Yale College, and first settled in Baltimore, Md., where he taught school and studied law. From there he moved to Missouri, and then to Sacramento, Cal., where he engaged in the mercantile business. He died of cholera at the latter place in 1850, unmarried; Stephen, married Lucy Culver, daughter of Judge E. D. Culver, of Brooklyn, N. Y., he is a prominent physician in New York, City, where he was appointed Commissioner of Charities in 1881, Commissioner of Lunacy in 1882, and Delegate to the International Sanitary Congress, held in Paris in 1894, he is especially remembered for his generous gift of a valuable medical library, to the Medical College connected with the Syracuse University; and Job Lewis, married Mary Ann Hana and settled in New York City. He was a graduate of Yale College, and became a prominent physician and surgeon in the latter city, he was also an instructor in the medical

schools in New York City, and is well known to the medical fraternity, as the author of a valued work on the Diseases of Children. He died in New York City in 1897. There are no known descendants of Job Smith at this time residing in the town of Spafford.)

(Thorn Hill.)

Mrs. Elizabeth (Keeler), wife of Job Smith. Died August 31, 1835, age 87 years.

(Thorn Hill.)

Elizabeth Smith, (daughter of Job and Elizabeth (Keeler) Smith). Died August 14, 1848, age 72 years.

(Thorn Hill.)

Stephen Smith, (son of Job and Elizabeth (Keeler) Smith). Died December 27, 1825, age 46 years.

(Thorn Hill.)

In memory of Asa Smith, who departed this life September 11, 1821, age 56 years.

“ Within this tomb by death o’er come
 A tender husband rests,
 With love sincere his children dear
 He frequently caressed,
 A master’s part with generous heart
 It’s known he acted well;
 May those he’s left of him bereft
 His virtuous ways excell.”

(His wife and children moved to Michigan.)

(Thorn Hill.)

Jared Smith. Died March 26, 1870, age 76 years, 16 days.

(Jared Smith married Rhoda Harvey, daughter of Medad and Anar (Buell) Harvey, and by her had the following: Emeline, married Shepard Earl, son of William and Polly (Pitts) Earl; Harriet, married Ebenezer Corning Cowles of Otisco, N. Y.; Lydia, married William Briggs, son of Daniel Briggs; and Seth, married and resided in Michigan. At the time of his decease Mr. Smith was the owner of what is now known as the Alanson Colton Farm, near Borodino.)

(Thorn Hill.)

Rhoda H. (w.), died August 16, 1890, age 91 years.

(Thorn Hill.)

Among the members of the Smith family who have resided in this town, whose names do not appear above, are

the following: Isaac Smith and family, who resided on the east side of Spafford Hollow: Azariah Smith, resided on or owned 160 acres of land, in a square farm, in the north west corner of lot 34, Tully; Alvah Smith and wife, Clarissa, settled on lot 69, Marcellus, on or before 1804; Amasa Smith and wife Mercy purchased land on lot 77, Marcellus, March 9, 1818; Chester H. Smith purchased land on lot 12, Sempronius, January 18, 1859; David Smith purchased land on lot 77, Marcellus, in 1803, and sold to Lemuel Smith in 1803; Daniel S. Smith of Owasco, N. Y., purchased land on lot 69, Marcellus, September 3, 1817; Ephraim Smith sold land on lot 75, Marcellus, September 25, 1815; James Smith and wife, Sarah Ann (Barber), lots 32 and 33, Tully, 1827, to 1840; Jedediah Smith and wife, Caroline, lots 22 and 23, Tully, 1832-4; John Smith and wife Lois, lots 89 and 76, Marcellus, 1828; John Smith and wife Lucinda, lot 22, Tully, 1811 to 1823; Josiah Smith, lot 89, Marcellus, 1822; Lemuel Smith and wife Sally, lots 77 and 76, Marcellus, 1803 to 1830; Lemuel P. Smith, lot 77, Marcellus, 1827-8; Levi Smith and wife Lucy, lots 76 and 89, Marcellus, 1828; Lester I. Smith and wife Lydia, lots 10 and 11, Sempronius, 1827, 1830; Lyman Smith and wife Sally, lots 10, 11 and 12, Sempronius, 1827 to 1857; Oliver Smith and wife Abigail, lot 77, Marcellus, 1808 to 1828; Oliver S. Smith, lot 77, Marcellus, 1811; Samuel Smith, lots 44 and 45, Tully, 1825; Sylvester Smith and wife Lucretia, lot 24, Tully, 1814 to 1821; Thomas Smith and wife Lydia, lot 32, Tully, 1827; Welcome Smith, lot 89, Marcellus, 1829, 1832; and William S. Smith, lot 12, Sempronius, 1859.

SORNBORGER.

In memory of Eliza Sornborger, daughter of Henry Sornborger. Died September 4, 1852, age 16 years.

(After her decease her father and mother moved to Chautauqua County, N. Y.)

(Thorn Hill.)

SPAULDING.

There were several families of Spauldings who resided in this town in years past, many of whose members intermarried with other well known Spafford families, but the

history of these has been so fully and well told in the excellent genealogy of that family, that we omit any further statement of them here, referring the reader to that valued work for further information on that subject. None of that name are here now.

SPENCER.

Ellen Brown, wife of Clark Spencer, and daughter of Jacob and Deborah (Morris) Brown. Died September 22, 1859, age 21 years, 9 months, 15 days.

"When lingering disease involved this house of clay,
How sweet to look beyond my house and long to fly away."
(Spafford.)

SPRAGUE.

Franklin, son of Solomon and Lucy Sprague. Died January 9, 1835, age 6 years.

(After the decease of Solomon Sprague, his wife Lucy married John Babcock, Jr., as his third wife; she survived her last husband, and was one of the administrators of his estate.)

(Borodino.)

STANTON.

Mary (Shearman), wife of John Stanton. Died August 4, 1838, age 88 years, 9 months, 1 day.

(Samuel H. Stanton, in 1898, in speaking of his grand parents and their family said: "My grandfather, John Stanton, was born in Rhode Island, and there married my grandmother Mary Shearman, who was also born in that State. After their marriage my grand parents moved to Pownal, Bennington County, Vt., where my grandfather died. After his decease my grandmother moved to this town, and resided with her son, Benjamin Stanton, until her decease. The children of John and Mary (Shearman) Stanton were: John, died in Otsego County, N. Y.; Thomas, died in Otsego County, N. Y.; Samuel, died in New Lisbon, Otsego County, N. Y.; Clark, died in Italy, Yates County, N. Y.; Joseph, died in Michigan; William, died in Mayfield, Chautauqua County, N. Y.; Lodowick, died in Michigan; Benjamin, married (1) Sally Noble, and (2) Amy Perkins,

sister of Hopkins Perkins of this town; Sally, married John Noble of this town; Susannah, married John Lawrence of Spafford; and Polly, married Russel Johnson. John Stanton, my grand father, was a brother of Mary Stanton, the wife of Joseph Lewis, formerly of this town, buried in Lewis Yard.”)

(Stanton Yard.)

Benjamin Stanton, (son of John and Mary (Shearman) Stanton). Died February 5, 1871, age 91 years, 22 days.

(He was born in the town of Pownal, Bennington Co., Vt., January 11, 1780, and married (1) Sally Noble, and (2) Amy Perkins. By his first wife he had one child: Sally, married Israel Knapp, she died in Alleghany County, N. Y.; and by his second wife had: Sheldon, married Ruth Shearman, daughter of Peleg Shearman of this town, died in Allegheny County, N. Y.; Melinda, married Samuel Shearman, son of Peleg Shearman, died in Allegheny County, N. Y.; Allen J., married (1) Anna Rainey, and (2) Aurilla Clark, died in Spafford; Julania, married Sylvanus N. Grout, son of John Grout, died in Scott, N. Y.; John, married Rebecca Fish, died in Eau Claire, Wis.; Polly, married Samuel Shearman as his second wife, and moved to Alleghany County, N. Y.; Samuel H., married Sarah Patterson, daughter of Calvin Patterson, he died February 14, 1899, age 76 years, and his widow now resides on the old Stanton Homestead, on Lot 13, Sempronius, in this town; and Rhoda, married Delos Billings, moved to Alleghany County, N. Y.

Samuel H. Stanton, born in this town, at the time of his decease left surviving his widow, Sarah Patterson, and the following children: Emmet; Mark Stanton, Mrs. John H. Purchase; Mrs. Milton Emmons, residing in Spafford; C—— P. Stanton of Luddington, Mich.; Mrs. W. —— F. Fairbanks, of Scottville, Mich., and Elmer E. Stanton, of Grand Rapids, Michigan.)

Samuel H. Stanton, 1821-1899.

Sarah T. Patterson (w.), 1825-.

(Stanton Yard.)

Amy (Perkins), wife of Benjamin Stanton. Died March 31, 1872, age 89 years, 4 months, 20 days.

(Stanton Yard.)

Frank, son of Samuel H. and Sarah (Patterson) Stanton. Died March 25, 1876, age 21 years, 10 months, 10 days.

(Stanton Yard.)

Infant sons of Samuel H. and Sarah (Patterson) Stanton, who died March 6, 1858, and October 12, 1860.

(Stanton Yard.)

STEBBINS.

Asaph Stebbins, who died April 21, 1828, age 61 years.

(Letters of Administration were issued upon his estate to his brother, Sylvanus Stebbins, of Little Valley, of Cattaraugus County, N. Y., but, the petition not being preserved, no statement of the family connections are given. In the sale of his farm of 100 acres, in the north west corner of Lot 89, Marcellus, and 17½ acres on the southwest corner of lot 76, Marcellus, the following persons conveyed to his brother, Sylvanus Stebbins, in 1828: John Stebbins and Mary, his wife, Heman Stebbins, Erastus Stebbins and Ruth, his wife, Levi Smith and Lucy, his wife John Smith and Lois, his wife, Chester Ferry and Roxa, his wife, Fowler Preston and Melissa his wife, Joel Lanson Preston, and Dwight Preston of Granby, Mass. In 1831 Russel Preston of Clyde, N. Y., son of Joel Preston of Granby, Mass., also quit claim his interest in the same land to the same grantee.)

(Thorn Hill.)

Charles W., son of Menzus and Adeline E. (O'Farrell) Stebbins. Died August 28, 1881, age 4 years, 8 months, and 18 days.

(Menzus Stebbins married Adeline E. O'Farrell, daughter of Rev. D. M. D. O'Farrell of Spafford Hollow. Mrs. Stebbins died at or near Shawville (now called Bromley), in Spafford Hollow, February 3, 1899, at the age of 60 years, leaving her surviving her husband and two children: David and Menzus Stebbins.)

(Spafford Hollow.)

STEVENS.

Lovina (Nodine), wife of Elisha B. Stevens. Died October 16, 1862, age 42 years, 3 months, 19 days.

(Elisha B. Stevens, son of Elisha Stevens, married Lovina Nodine, daughter of Jeremiah, Sr., and Maria (Strope) Nodine.)

(Cold Brook.)

STONE.

Mrs. Sally Stone, wife of Benajah Stone. Died June 16, 1825, age 41 years, 11 months, 10 days.

“Afflictions sore a long time I bore,
Physicians were in vain,
'Till God was pleased to give me ease
And free me from my pain.”

(Spafford.)

In memory of Norman, son of Joseph and Polly Stone. Died January 9, 1831, age 17 years, 3 months, 5 days.

(Joseph and Polly Stone conveyed lands on Lots 10 and 12, Sempronius, and Lot 89, Marcellus, to John K. Stone of Manchester, Bennington County, Vermont, October 16, 1829.)

(Borodino.)

STREETER.

Alexander R. Streeter. Died December 8, 1863, age 80 years, 3 months.

(He settled on Lot 10, Sempronius, on or before 1815; by his wife Susan Carpenter, he had at his decease the following children: Calvin, married Malentha Babcock, daughter of Elihu and Hannah Babcock; Harriet, married Orrin Eddy of Borodino, (both dead); Ada L. Howard, of Oak Grove, Wisconsin; Dorcas Garthwait, of Bolivar, Alleghany County, N. Y.; Milton, married (1) Mary Manley, and (2) Nancy A. Clark, his death preceded that of his father; Sarah A., married Ashbel Baker, she and her husband both died before her father, leaving one daughter, Sarah A. Baker; and one daughter who married a Mr. Manley, she died before her father and left the following children: Robinson, Henry, Alanson E. Manley, and Jane Robinson.)

(Borodino.)

Susan (Carpenter), wife of Alexander R. Streeter. Died August 23, 1864, age 83 years, 3 months.

(Borodino.)

Calvin Streeter, (son of Alexander R. and Susan (Carpenter) Streeter). Died February 22, 1889, age 84 years, 4 months, 22 days.

(He married Malentha Babcock, and by her had two sons who survived him: George J., died at Borodino, May 10,

1891, age 50 years, married Lucinda Crane, he had a daughter Dora, who married David Becker, son of John Becker; and Cyrus Streeter, who at one time resided on Lot 12, Sempronius. Calvin Streeter also formerly resided on Lots 10 and 12, Sempronius.)

(Borodino.)

Malentha (Babcock), wife of Calvin Streeter. Died May 6, 1875, age 66 years, 8 months.

“What peaceful hours we once enjoyed,
How sweet their memory still,
But they have left an aching void
This world can never fill.”

(Her father and mother were buried at Thorn Hill.)

(Borodino.)

Mary (Manley), wife of Milton Streeter. Died December 25, 1848, age 39 years, 7 months, 16 days.

(Milton Streeter died January 13, 1864, and was buried in this cemetery. (No stone.) In the application for letters upon his estate, made by his widow, Nancy A. Streeter, mention is made of the following children: Alexander Streeter, Franklin W. Streeter, and Caroline Case, wife of Alexander Case.)

(Borodino.)

By the record of deeds, it appears that a Josiah Streeter at a very early date resided on Lot 10, Sempronius, and died there; that on February 18, 1812, letters of administration upon his estate were issued by the Surrogate of Onondaga County, to Lydia Streeter, his widow, and that, among three or four others, Alexander R. Streeter was heir by descent to his lands, and conveyed the same.

Another family of Streeters formerly resided at or near Borodino, whose descendants still remain, and whose lineage is traced to Stephen Streeter, born in England and settled in Gloucester, Mass, in 1639, as follows: Stephen, Stephen, John, John, John, William.

William Streeter, was born in New Cambridge, New York, January 6, 1788, resided in Charlton, and died in Skaneateles, N. Y., March 1, 1846. By his wife, Elizabeth Russel, born in Berne, Albany County, N. Y., died in Skaneateles, January 16, 1847, he had the following children born at Charlton: John, born October 13, 1813, died in Wisconsin in 1866; Joseph R., born April 21, 1817; James

Alonzo, born September 7, 1821, married November 2, 1848
 Chloe North, resided at Maple Grove, Mich.; Reuben, born
 April 10, 1824, died September 4, 1838; Sarah E., born
 October 11, 1826, died November 9, 1845; Phebe, born Jan-
 uary 23, 1829, died about 1850; Jane Ann, born March 19,
 1831, married James Nesbit, son of Robert and Nancy
 (Wallace) Nesbit, resides near Borodino, N. Y.; Marvin
 Timothy, born October 25, 1836, married January 15, 1860,
 Mary D. Tinkham; Nelson R., born October 7, 1838, married
 June 20, 1860, Adeline F. Randolph, resides at Groton,
 Tompkins County, N. Y.; and Caroline E., born November
 25, 1843.

STRONG.

Charles Strong, (son of Capt. Strong of Tully). Born
 September 17, 1830.

(He married Margaret M. Hultz.)

(Borodino.)

Hon. Sidney Smith says: "William Strong was a large
 farmer in the Marcellus part of Spafford, owning more
 than 300 acres; residing upon the farm now owned and
 occupied by Frank Harvey. He sold out and left about
 1836, and went to Chautauqua County, N. Y.; he had a
 large family."

Margaret M. (Hultz), wife of Charles Strong. Born
 April 18, 1828, died December 10, 1893.

(Borodino.)

Parnal, widow of Asher Strong. Died December 27,
 1823, age 71 years, 5 months, 11 days.

(Thorn Hill.)

STROPE.

Mary, daughter of William and Lydia Strobe. Died June
 27, 1835, age 2 years 11 months, 26 days.

(Before 1815, Peter Strobe (sometimes called Strobe)
 came to this town with his wife Louisa, and settled on ten
 acres of land on the southwest corner of lot 12, Sempronius,
 and there remained until his decease between 1829 and 1831.
 On March 3, 1831, the following persons united in quit
 claiming the lands above mentioned, to George Strobe,
 (Strobe) supposed to be his son: Levi Applebee, Gilbert

A. Applebee, Mary Golden, Jeremiah Nodine and Maria, his wife, John Strope (Strobe), Nicholas Strobe, William Strobe, Delaney Strobe, Israel Russell and Catherine, his wife, and Joseph Strobe, all of Spafford, N. Y.

(Cold Brook.)

TAFT.

Ellis Taft. Died July 3, 1857, age 75 years.

(He was born at Woodstock, Tolland County, Conn., and from there moved to Mameroneck, Westchester County, N. Y., where he kept hotel for several years. From there he moved to Cold Brook, in this town, where he remained until his decease. He married at Mameroneck, October 8, 1809, Cynthia Knapp, daughter of Peter and Dinah (Guion) Knapp, and had the following children born at the latter place: Sally Ann, married Ziba D. Baker, son of Josiah Baker, she was the mother of Mrs. Benjamin McDaniels of this town; Mary, married John W. English, she died in Adrian, Mich., but was buried in this cemetery; Emily, died young; and Peter E., married Caroline B. McDaniels, daughter of John and Polly (Hankins) McDaniels, he died in Oswego and she in Auburn, N. Y. Mr. Taft was a brother of Bezaleel W. Taft of this town, and of Mrs. Mary Mellen, wife of Dr. David Mellen of Hudson, N. Y. Mr. Ellis Taft's family are all now deceased.)

(Cold Brook.)

Cynthia (Knapp), wife of Ellis Taft. Died April 18, 1868, age 88 years.

(She was born May 13, 1780.)

(Cold Brook.)

Bezaleel W. Taft. Died February 17, 1872, age 72 years.

(He was also born at Woodstock, Tolland County, Conn., and before coming to this town resided with his brother Ellis, at Mameroneck, N. Y. He married (1) at New York City, Nancy Palmer, who was the mother of all his children, and after her decease he married (2) Lucia Norton, daughter of David and Dinah (Wilton) Norton, and widow of Peris Miner. He came here about the same time as his brother, and settled near him in Cold Brook, on the western part of Lot 44, Tully. His children were: John P., married Laura I. Miner, daughter of Peris and Lucia (Norton) Miner; Marcia, married Gilbert E. Smith, formerly of Syra-

cuse, now deceased, she resides in McGrawville, N. Y.; Thomas J., married Lucinda Mabie, daughter of Martin and Gertrude Mabie, resides at East Scott, N. Y.; and Martha Jane, married Alphronius Phillips as his second wife, he is now deceased and she resides with her sister, in McGrawville, N. Y.)

(Cold Brook.)

Nancy (Palmer), wife of Bezaleel W. Taft. Died May 22, 1863, age 65 years.

(Cold Brook.)

TAYLOR.

William Taylor. Died July 1, 1882, age 63 years, 3 months.

(Mr. Taylor and his wife, Charlotte Hunt, were both born in England; their children were: Mary A., residing in Borodino, unmarried; George married Mary Nesbit, daughter of Robert and Nancy (Wallace) Nesbit; and Minnie E., married James Sweet, late P. M. at Borodino and son of Joseph N. and Margaret (Nesbit) Sweet).

(Borodino.)

THAYER.

Sanford Thayer, (son of Capt. Jerijah and Cynthia (Case) Thayer.) Born June 9, 1787, died August 26, 1836.

(He was born in Windham County, Conn., and from there first settled in Vermont, where he married his first wife, Rebecca Prisby, at Vernon, December 1, 1808. From Vermont he moved to Cato, N. Y., and then to Cold Brook, where he died; he married Sally Miner for his second wife. His first three children were by his first wife, and the others by his second wife, Sally Miner. They were as follows: Polly, born January 25, 1812, married Walter Brown, resided at Vernon, Vt.; Sophronia, born November 6, 1816, married Laurence T. Washburn, resided in Vernon, Vt.; Chauncey, born July 15, 1817, married (1) Herliam Crouch, and (2) Almira Preston, resided in Vernon, Vt.; Sanford, born July 19, 1820, he was an artist, and settled and died in Syracuse, N. Y., married Nancy H. Smith, (two children, both deceased), he and his wife both dead; Salmon, born

December 4, 1822, married Eliza Weston, he was a blacksmith and resided at Alleghan, Michigan; Sarah A., born July 10, 1825, married Peres L. Norton, son of Moses and Percy (Barber) Norton, settled in Lanesburg, Pa.; Stephen P., born August 27, 1827, married Harriet L. Nicholson and settled in Oswego, N. Y.; Susan, born July 10, 1830; Serena M., born May 10, 1832, married Charles Goodyear, resided in San Francisco, California; and Sylvanus L. M., born December 30, 1834, married Mary Hinton, he was a blacksmith and moved to Homer, Calhoun County, Mich. Mr. Thayer was descended from Thomas Thayer, who came from England and settled in Braintree, Mass., and was made freeman in 1636, as follows: Thomas, Fernando, Josiah, Josiah, Zephaniah, Jerijah, Sanford. He was by trade a millwright.)

(Cold Brook.)

Sally (Miner), wife of Sanford Thayer. Born October 9, 1796, died September 15, 1859.

(She was a daughter of Luke and sister of Peres Miner of this town.)

(Cold Brook.)

THOMPSON.

Reuben Thompson. Died November 15, 1838, age 56 years, 7 months.

“Respected while living, lamented though dead,

His sanctified spirit to Jesus had fled.”

(His wife Sally is also buried in this cemetery, but has no stone. In his will, dated September 27, 1838, and probated February 15, 1839, he mentions his wife, Sally Thompson, and his children, Nathan P., married Margaret Hutchens, daughter of Col. Phineas and Margaret (Giber-son) Hutchens; William B., married Clarinda Prindle, daughter of Moses and Purlina (Patchen) Prindle; and Edward R., married a Miss Parsons and went West.)

Sally, widow of Reuben Thompson. Died June 6, 1849, age 62 years. (Stone.)

(Spafford.)

Nathan P. Thompson, (son of Reuben and Sally Thompson). Died April 5, 1869, age 58 years, 7 months, 11 days.

(By his wife, Margaret Hutchens, he had besides the two children recorded here: Sarah, married Alanson S. Fred-

erick, son of Jacob and Rachel (Newkirk Frederick, both dead; and Jane Ellen, married Frank Proper, resides in Homer, N. Y. Mrs. Thompson was still living in 1899, residing with her daughter, Jane Ellen, in Homer, N. Y.; since deceased.)

(Spafford.)

Caroline, daughter of Nathan P. and Margaret (Hutchens) Thompson. Died October 6, 1843, age 3 years, 8 months, 15 days.

(Spafford.)

Libbie Bernice, daughter of Nathan P. and Margaret (Hutchens) Thompson. Died January 25, 1853, age 11 months, 16 days.

(Spafford.)

Mary P., daughter of William B. and Clarinda (Prindle) Thompson. Died February 18, 1850, age 11 years, 1 month, 1 day.

“My Lord did call I quiet went
To meet and with him dwell,
The last great debt I now have paid
And bid the world farewell.”

(Mr. Thompson and his wife, Clarinda, after decease of their daughter, Mary, moved to Michigan, where they both died. They had one other child: Byron, who married, and in 1898 resided in Jackson, Michigan.)

(Spafford.)

Lyman Thompson, (a brother of Reuben), and his wife, Nancy, from 1829 to 1837 resided in this town, and owned lands at different times on lots 31, 32, and 43, Tully, and 75, Marcellus, and had children: Zipporah, married Mr. Enos; Bezaleel; Amanda; and Lyman, Jr. They all moved West.

There was also a Nathan Thompson and wife Electa, who resided and owned lands on Lot 75, Marcellus, from June 24, 1815, to September, 1828, and perhaps later. And also an Amasa M. Thompson, who conveyed, without wife, and owned lands on lots 10 and 12, Sempronius, from October 15, 1834 to 1837.

Zipporah, widow of Nathan Thompson. Died May 3, 1825, age 64 years.

(Thorn Hill.)

TERBUSH.

Jonas Terbush. Died November 20, 1840, age 63 years, 2 months, 26 days.

(Mr. Terbush resided on the west side of Spafford Hollow, the first farm south of the Buck Tail Road; in the petition for letters of administration upon his estate, dated December 9, 1840, and made by his wife, Polly Terbush, mention is made of the following children: Susan; Jane; Davenport; and Anna Maria, married Chester Kimbal, all of Spafford, N. Y.; and Lorenzo, of Auburn, N. Y.; Julia Ann of Liberty, Pa.; Peter F., of Little Rock, Arkansas; and John of Natchez, Mississippi. They were all then of full age, except: Susan, Jane, and Davenport, who were minors.)

(Spafford Hollow.)

Polly W., wife of Jonas Terbush. Died March 4, 1842, age 59 years, 9 months, 15 days.

(Spafford Hollow.)

TINKHAM.

Adah (Windsor), wife of Capt. Daniel Tinkham. Died February 28, 1851, age 82 years, 3 months, 19 days.

(Daniel Tinkham, son of Hezekiah and Girzel Tinkham, first settled in Vermont, and from there came to this town about 1803, and settled on the State's Hundred Acres on Lot 89, Marcellus. These lands he sold in 1810, and moved on the east side hill, where he remained until after the decease of his wife, Adah, when he moved with his son, Zenas Tinkham, to Summerville, Mich., where he died. His father and mother: Hezekiah and Grizel Tinkham, had the following children: Elizabeth, Gehany, Renew, John, Peter, Sally, Grizel, Nehemiah, *Daniel*, Samuel, and Philip.

Daniel Tinkham, born April 30, 1767, married Adah Windsor, born November 9, 1768, at Smithfield, R. I., who was the daughter of John and Mary (Smith) Windsor. His wife was descended from Joshua Windsor, who came to Providence, R. I., from England as early as 1637, as follows: Joshua, Samuel, Joshua, John, Adah. She was also descended from Roger Williams of Rhode Island, as follows: Roger, Mercy, Joshua, John, Adah. Mr. Tinkham, by his wife Adah, had the following children, part born in Vermont and the balance in this town: John, born December 26,

1790, died unmarried, buried probably at Thorn Hill; Mercy, born September 3, 1792, married Calvin Campbell, died at Grand Ledge, Mich; Russel, born July 21, 1794, married Mary Cook, died in Spafford, N. Y.; Stephen, born June 21, 1796, married Roxana Wait, died in Ohio; Alanson, born October 5, 1798, married Betsey Grinnell, daughter of Isaiah Grinnell, died in Orleans County, N. Y.; Rely, born December 28, 1800, married Chloe Grinnell, daughter of Isaiah Grinnell, died in Orleans County, N. Y.; Praxana, born February 22, 1803, married John Grinnell, son of Isaiah Grinnell, she died in Orleans County, N. Y., and her husband married (2) Tacy Babcock, daughter of John Babcock; Zenas, born April 18, 1805, married Lovedy Cook, sister of Russel Tinkham's wife Mary, she was born July, 1806, and he and she died at Summerville, Mich.; Almeda, born December 27, 1807, married Hiram W. Hayes, she died in Quincy, Mich., and in 1898 her husband was residing in Pomona, Cal.; Cynthia, born April 29, 1810, married William Smith, she was living in 1898 in Pomona, Cal.; and Adah, born April 17, 1813, died young.)

(Spafford.)

Russell Tinkham, (son of Daniel and Adah (Windsor) Tinkham). Died May 31, 1874, age 79 years, 10 months, 20 days.

(He married Mary Cook, daughter of Joseph and Mary Cook, who were born in Falmouth, Cornwall, England, where they were also married and their daughter Mary born. By his wife Mary he had the following children, born in this town: John Cook, born May 27, 1817, married (1) Phebe Harris and (2) Jane Harris, daughters of William and Nancy (Davis) Harris, he died at Glen Haven, N. Y., but was buried at Grand Ledge, Michigan; Delevan, born August 28, 1818, married Lona Babcock, residing in 1898 at Cold Water, Mich.; Mary Ann, born June 29, 1820, married Uriah Roundy, son of Capt. Asahel and Hannah (Weston) Roundy, resides in Spafford, N. Y.; Emily, born August 17, 1822, married Warren Doty, she died 1899 at Homer, N. Y., where her husband is still living; LaFayette, born July 30, 1824, married Mary Ann Carr, daughter of Thurston and Lorane (Green) Carr, resides in Spafford, N. Y.; Marinda, born July 30, 1826, died young; Charlotte, born December 23, 1828, married David Bailey, resides in

Cold Water, Mich.; Lovedy, born May 3, 1830, married Oscar Burdick, son of Russel M. and Esther (Whiting) Burdick, both died in Quincy, Mich.; and Lovinas, born May 30, 1832, married Elnora Burdick, daughter of Christopher Avery and Eugenia Jane (Nash) Burdick, resided in Scott, Cortland County, N. Y., but died in December, 1900.)

(Spafford.)

Mary (Cook), wife of Russell Tinkham. Died February 11, 1866, age 74 years, 3 months, 3 days.

(Spafford.)

Marinda, daughter of Russell and Mary (Cook) Tinkham. Died October 17, 1827, age 2 years, 2 months, 17 days.

“Sleep on sweet babe and take thy rest,
God called thee when he thought best.”

(Spafford.)

William Henry, son of Zenas and Lovedy (Cook) Tinkham. Died April 12, 1851, age 5 years, 4 months, 18 days.

(Spafford.)

TOWN.

Mr. Isaac Town. Died January 10, 1819, age 62 years, 1 month.

(He married Judith Turner, and by her had the following children, mentioned in his will, dated December 12, 1818, and probated February 4, 1819: Alpheia, Orrin, married Lydia Ford; Clark, married Electa Churchill; Simon; Prudence, married Lauren Norton, son of David and Dinah (Wilton) Norton; Sophia; Matilda; and Sylvia.)

(Cold Brook.)

Judith (Turner), wife of Isaac Town. Died July 15, 1821, age 62 years, 7 months.

(Cold Brook.)

Orrin Town, (son of Isaac and Judith (Turner) Town). Died October 2, 1842, age 55 years, 5 months, 12 days.

“Lovely in life, peaceful in death.”

(He married Lydia Ford.)

(Cold Brook.)

Lydia Ford, wife of Orrin Town. Died November 14, 1876, age 87 years, 8 months.

(Cold Brook.)

Alfred C. Town, (son of Orrin and Lydia (Ford) Town).
Died September 20, 1859, age 41 years.

(He married Hannah Dalton, an English woman, and by her had the following: Orrin L.; Mary L.; William J.; Wesley A.; and Hattie, who died in 1874, age 13 years.)

(Cold Brook.)

Hannah (Dalton), wife of Alfred C. Town. Died December 5, 1874, age 46 years.

“ We miss thee.”

(Cold Brook.)

Hattie Town, (daughter of Alfred C. and Hannah (Dalton) Town). Died November 26, 1874, age 13 years, 3 months.

(Cold Brook.)

Harriet, daughter of Clark and Electa (Churchill) Town.
Died July 31, 1836, age 20 years, 11 months, 14 days.

(Mrs. Clark Town is supposed to have been a daughter of John and Martha Churchill.)

(Cold Brook.)

TRUMBULL.

Dr. Benjamin Trumbull. Died May 28, 1835, age 46 years.

“ There is rest in Heaven.”

(Dr. Trumbull resided in the Village of Borodino; in his will dated May 7, 1835, and probated July 28, 1835, he mentions his wife, Lydia C. Trumbull, his adopted daughter, Jane Trumbull, his nephew Benjamin Trumbull, son of his brother, Jonathan Trumbull, and also Benjamin T. Corning and Benjamin T. Kneeland for respect shown by being named after the deceased. In the petition for probate, mention is made of the following brothers and sisters: Jonathan Trumbull of Spafford, N. Y.; Asaph Trumbull of New York City; Philomelia Rolls, wife of John Rolls of Cortland Co., N. Y.; Sarah Warner, wife of Kirtland Warner of Jackson, Washington Co., N. Y.; Hannah Peters; and Asiba Hall, wife of George Hall, each of Hebron, Conn., all of full age.)

(Borodino.)

Lydia C., wife of Dr. Benjamin Trumbull. Died July 14, 1837, age 50 years.

(Borodino.)

Jane, (adopted) daughter of Benjamin and Lydia C. Trumbull. Died March 15, 1839, age 17 years, 5 months.
(Borodino.)

TUCKER.

Henry Tucker. Died February 4, 1885, age 70 years, 4 months.

(Mr. Tucker in his will, dated September 3, 1881, and probated April 6, 1885, mentioned his wife, Mary Ann Tucker, and his children: Adeline; Jenetti, married Sullivan Carr, son of Almond Carr; Norman; Mary Jane Edgecomb of Scott, N. Y.; Maria Coon of Skaneateles, N. Y.; and Harriet French of Auburn, N. Y. The first three mentioned above were then of Spafford, N. Y.)

(Spafford Hollow.)

Mary Ann, wife of Henry Tucker. Died September 20, 1886, age 69 years, 4 months.

(Spafford Hollow.)

TURNER.

Mary, daughter of Oscar and Caroline (Case) Turner. Died November 7, 1882, age 4 years, 9 months.

(She was accidentally burned to death, by her clothes catching fire. Oscar Turner married Caroline Case, daughter of Aaron G. and Rebecca (Monk) Case.)

(Borodino.)

TUTTLE.

Daniel Tuttle, (son of Oliver and Abigail Tuttle). Died January 2, 1854, age 73 years.

(Oliver Tuttle, son of Gershom Tuttle, was born in Claremont, N. H., and from his native place first settled in Oneida County, N. Y. From there he went to Cincinnati, Cortland County, and then to Otisco, N. Y., about 1798, and resided on lot 14, Tully, in Otisco Hollow, until his decease. He is known to have had a son, Daniel, who came to Otisco when he first settled there, a son William, and perhaps other children. He and his wife Abigail were among the first members of the Congregational Church, organized at Otisco Center.

Daniel Tuttle (son of Oliver), married Mary Rogers, daughter of Benjamin Rogers, and by her had: John Rogers, born July 13, 1819, died February 7, 1899, in Spafford Hollow, married (1) Lucy Gambell, daughter of Squire Gambell of Otisco, N. Y., and (2) widow of Joseph Clark, deceased, he never had any issue by either wife, but by the last wife he had five step children: Frances, Anna, Joseph, Sarah, and Alice Clark, he was buried in Spafford Hollow Cemetery; William Nicholas, born November 25, 1828, married Lucy Seviah Howe, daughter of Perley and Dorris (French) Howe, of Otisco, N. Y., and widow of Joseph H. Stanley, (he has a son, Rev. Henry William Tuttle, residing at Manchester, Iowa), he resided in 1899 on the Skaneateles and Hamilton Turnpike road, in the town of Otisco, P. O. Vesper, N. Y.; Emily A., married Hiram Ingerson, (has four children: Mary, Emma, Darius, and Sarah); and Darius D., married Abigail Cowles, daughter of Samuel Cowles of Otisco, and died in Otisco, December 11, 1870, without issue. The widow of Darius D. Tuttle, in her petition for letters of administration upon her deceased husband's estate, dated September 4, 1871, besides herself (Abigail C. Tuttle) mentions Mercy Tuttle, his mother, of Otisco, John R., and William N. Tuttle of Otisco, N. Y., his brothers, Emily A., wife of Hiram Ingerson of Clay, N. Y., a sister, and Mary L., wife of Elisha S. Cowles, of Oconomowoc, Wisconsin, a child of Louisa Price, a deceased sister of Darius D. Tuttle, then all of full age.)

(Spafford Hollow.)

Mary, widow of Daniel Tuttle. Died June 30, 1887, age 93 years.

(Spafford Hollow.)

Julia Ann, daughter of Daniel and Mary (Rogers) Tuttle. Died June 27, 1847, age 20 years, 6 months, 23 days.

(Spafford Hollow.)

UNCKLESS .

Mary A. (Snook), wife of John Unckless. Died September 10, 1876, age 69 years.

(John Unckless was born February 5, 1814, near Bristol, England; he married Mary A. Snook, daughter of Dr. William Snook, and by her had the following children: Ann

Elizabeth, died unmarried in Minneapolis, Minn.; Mary Ann, married Mark Harvey, son of Paul and Sally (Hiscock) Harvey, as his second wife, resides at Borodino, N. Y.; John A., married Alice Van Allen, he was a member of the 122d Regt. N. Y. Vols. Inft. in the War of 1861, been Supervisor of this town, and resides at Borodino, N. Y., carpenter and teacher; Edward, resides unmarried in Friend, Nebraska; and Frank, died unmarried, buried in Borodino Cemetery. Mr. Unckless came to this country about 1832, and settled in this town in 1862. He was also a member of Company "D," 122d Regt., N. Y. Vols. in the War of 1861. He died January 15, 1899 and was buried in this cemetery. Age 85 years.)

(Borodino.)

Ann Elizabeth Unckless, daughter of John and Mary (Snook) Unckless. Died December 15, 1888, age 50 years.

(Borodino.)

UNDERWOOD.

Timothy W. Underwood, (son of Chester Underwood). Died March 18, 1877, age 61 years, 7 months, 25 days.

(He married Hettie Ann Townley.)

(Cold Brook.)

Hettie Ann (Townley), wife of Timothy W. Underwood. Died February 5, 1882, age 63 years, 5 days.

"At Rest."

(Cold Brook.)

Theodore D., son of Timothy W. and Hettie Ann (Townley) Underwood. Died April 1, 1863, age 12 years, 10 months, 14 days.

"None but a parent's heart can tell,
How much it costs to bid a child farewell."

(Cold Brook.)

Frank C., son of Timothy W. and Hettie Ann (Townley) Underwood. Died August 14, 1861, age 7 years, 3 months, 5 days.

"Our Little Son, gone but not forgotten."

(Cold Brook.)

VAIL.

Lucius Vail. Died March 24, 1852, age 54 years.

(He married Irena Churchill, daughter of John and Martha Churchill; after his decease his widow married for a second husband Harvey Anthony.)

(Cold Brook.)

Irena (Churchill), wife of Lucius Vail. Died May 8, 1881, age 78 years.

(Cold Brook.)

Daniel Vail. Died August 13, 1844, age 73 years, 5 months, 3 days.

(Thorn Hill.)

Sarah, wife of Daniel Vail. Died November 10, 1844, age 69 years, 11 months, 25 days.

(Thorn Hill.)

Daniel S. Vail. Died October 27, 1873, age 73 years, 3 months, 12 days.

(In a petition for letter of administration upon his estate, dated February 1, 1875, by Esther P. Mason, wife of Mortimer Mason, son of Hiram and Maria (Green) Mason, the petitioner states she was the only child of deceased, and mentions no widow.)

(Thorn Hill.)

Ida, wife of Daniel S. Vail. Died January 2, 1863, age 62 years, 4 months, 21 days.

(Thorn Hill.)

VAN BENSCHOTEN.

James Van Benschoten. Died June 13, 1885, age 74 years.

(Mr. Van Benschoten married (1) a Miss Price and (2) Julia Knapp, and had the following children by his first wife: Ellen Dunbar; Edwin S., married Sarah Eliot, daughter of Andrew J. and Sarah Ann (Bulfinch) Eliot, he is now deceased, leaving one son Eliot, who married Minnie Odell, daughter of John and Anna (Rounds) Odell; John G., married (1) Mary E. Eliot, daughter of Andrew J. and Sarah Ann (Bulfinch) Eliot, and (2) Nellie Hookway, he is a merchant residing at Spafford Corners, by his first wife John had two children, Andrew and Grace, and by his second wife one small child); Richard P.; Nancy I., married

Perry Norton, son of Erastus and Mary (Isdell) Norton, she is now deceased, leaving her husband and several children, residing in Scott, N. Y.; Louisa M., married William Joslin, of Homer, N. Y., no issue; and by his second wife Mr. Van Benschoten had: Ruth E., resides unmarried with her mother in Locke, N. Y.; Charles K., died of yellow fever, unmarried; Mary E., died unmarried; and Herman, married Augusta Hunahoe of Locke, Cayuga County, N. Y.)

(Spafford.)

Mary E., died August 21, 1882, age 16 years.

Charles K., died June 6, 1885, age 21 years.

Children of James and Julia (Knapp) Van Benschoten.

(Spafford.)

Mary E. Eliot, wife of John G. Van Benschoten. Died October, 1891, age 45 years.

(Spafford.)

Schuyler, son of Byron and Charlotte (Brown) Van Benschoten. Died November 20, 1886, age 17 years.

"Too pure for earth, he has gone to Heaven to blossom there."

(Byron Benschoten married Charlotte Brown, daughter of Jacob and Deborah (Morris) Brown. After his decease his widow married for a second husband Charles Hurd.)

(Spafford.)

VANDENBURGH.

Stephen Vandenburg. Died February 8, 1882, age 82 years.

(He married Maria Calkins, daughter of Abram and Elizabeth Calkins, and by her had the following children: John, married Minerva Dedrick, resided at Stiles, N. Y.; Augustin, married Mary Eggleston, daughter of Dea. Benjamin and Elizabeth (Wiltsie) Eggleston, resided in Syracuse, N. Y.; Charles, married and died in St. Paul, Minn., he was a graduate of Yale College, read law and became Judge of the Supreme Court in the State of Minnesota; Abram, was a druggist; Ann, married Jacob Chapman and moved to Michigan; Caroline and Elizabeth died unmarried at the ages of 20 and 14 years. Mr. Vandenburg came to this town from Stephentown, N. Y.)

(Thorn Hill.)

Maria (Calkins), wife of Stephen Vandenburg. Died August 25, 1885, age 51 years, 8 months.

(Thorn Hill.)

Caroline, daughter of Stephen and Maria (Calkins) Vandenburg. Died August 5, 1854, age 20 years, 2 months.

(Thorn Hill.)

Elizabeth, daughter of Stephen and Maria (Calkins) Vandenburg. Died September 2, 1855, age 14 years, 2 months.

(Thorn Hill.)

VANDERLIN.

Francis E., son of James and Betsey Vanderlin. Died November 2, 1844, age 2 years, 2 months.

(Borodino.)

VAN PATTEN.

Samantha, wife of Aaron Van Patten. Died December 15, 1858, age 39 years, 3 months, 2 days.

(Spafford Hollow.)

VARY.

Richard and Charles Vary were important early residents in the northern end of this town; the latter was at one time Supervisor, and at another time Member of Assembly from the town of Spafford. Charles R. Vary died in California, but was buried in Oakwood Cemetery, Syracuse, N. Y.)

WALLACE.

Benjamin Wallace. Died ————. Age ————.

(He came to this town from Pittstown, Rensselaer Co., N. Y., with his son, Daniel Wallace, Sr., who married Mary Low.)

(Old Borodino.)

Daniel Wallace, (son of Benjamin Wallace). Died November 21, 1854, age 84 years, 8 months, 21 days.

(He was born in Pittstown, Rensselaer County, N. Y., in 1768, and came to Skaneateles with his father Benjamin, wife Mary Low, and four eldest children, Washington, William, Daniel and Lucy in March, 1805, and from there

moved upon Lot 88, Marcellus, in this town, in February, 1808. By his wife Mary he had the following children, all born in this town except four eldest above named, who were born in Pittstown, N. Y.: Washington, married Deborah B. Eddy, daughter of John Eddy, Sr., he died in this town and was buried in this cemetery; William, married Amelia Eddy, daughter of Seth Eddy, he and his wife are dead, and buried in this cemetery; Daniel, Jr., born April 20, 1802, married Caroline Marshall, daughter of Joseph Marshall; both dead and buried in this cemetery; Lucy, married ——— Baker of Onondaga Valley, N. Y.; Alice (Ellis), married John Babcock, Jr., as his second wife, both dead; Benjamin, married Laura Davis, daughter of Col. Lewis C. Davis, both dead and buried in Davis Yard (no stone), he died at New Hope, N. Y., August 11, 1879, age 70 years; David; Morgan L., married Olive Eddy, daughter of Seth Eddy; Charles, married Amanda Wheeler, sister of Orrin Wheeler of Cold Brook, and (2) Matilda ———, he is dead, and buried in this cemetery (no stone); and Mary, married Norton Van Sickland, moved to Cincinnati, Ohio.)
(Borodino.)

Mary (Low) Wallace, wife of Daniel Wallace. Died October 7, 1846, age 68 years, 11 months.
(Borodino.)

Washington Wallace, (son of Daniel and Mary (Low) Wallace). Died May 11, 1841, age 42 years.

“ If ever my children do come nigh
And on this marble cast an eye,
Then on this willow drop a tear
For one that always loved you dear.”

(Mr. Wallace was born in Pittstown, N. Y.; he kept a public house in the village of Borodino. By his wife, Deborah B. Eddy, he had the following children: John Daniel, married Althea Case of Floyd, Oneida County, N. Y., he resides (1898) in Geneseo, Livingston County, N. Y.; Edwin R., married Annie F. Freeman, daughter of Jefferson Freeman, former President of the Merchants' National Bank of Syracuse, he resides in Syracuse, N. Y.; George W., married Eunice Barker, daughter of John Barker of Floyd, Oneida County, N. Y., resides in Borodino N. Y.; Harriet, died at 22 years, in Floyd, N. Y., unmarried; Julia,

died young in Borodino N. Y.; and Franklin Henry, died young in Borodino, N. Y.)

(Borodino.)

Franklin, son of Washington and Beborah B. (Eddy) Wallace. Died March 23, 1837, age 1 year, 10 months.

(Borodino.)

Julia, daughter of Washington and Deborah B. (Eddy) Wallace. Died May 15, 1838, age 7 months.

(Borodino.)

William Wallace, (son of Daniel and Mary (Low) Wallace). Died January 2, 1881, age 81 years.

(He married Amelia Eddy, and by her had three sons: Corydon, went West; Benjamin, died in Pennsylvania; and Ichabod, married Laura Havens, daughter of Ebenezer Havens, dead.)

(Borodino.)

Amelia (Eddy), wife of William Wallace. Died March 7, 1872, age 71 years.

(Borodino.)

Daniel Wallace, Jr., son of Daniel and Mary (Low) Wallace. Born April 20, 1802. Died April 13, 1890.

(By his wife, Caroline Marshall, he had the following children: Helen M., died young; Simon Bolivar, married Mary Ann Cornell, daughter of John and Miranda (Cady) Cornell, he resides in Borodino, N. Y., farmer and lawyer; Napoleon Bonaparte, married Harriet D. Redway, daughter of Almond T. and Martha (Wheeler) Redway, he was a member of the 13th N. Y. Inft. and 15th N. Y. Cav. Vols., War of 1861; Santa Anna, born March 2, 1841, married 1866, Florence M. Redway, daughter of Almond T. and Martha (Wheeler) Redway, (three daughters living), resides in Borodino, N. Y.; Maria Antoinette; Demetrius Ypsilanti, married (1) _____ and (2) _____, resides in Syracuse, N. Y.; Andrew Jackson, died at three years; Andrew Jackson, 2d, died in 1868. Mr. Wallace was a farmer, and at one time a very large land owner in this town; in politics he was a Democrat, and in his party a man of potent influence; he was a public spirited man, a good citizen, and was generally respected by his townspeople.)

(Borodino.)

Caroline (Marshall), wife of Daniel Wallace, Jr. Died July 25, 1878, age 76 years, 4 months.

(Borodino.)

Andrew Jackson, son of Daniel, Jr., and Caroline (Marshall) Wallace. Died February 7, 1837, age 3 years.

(Borodino.)

Andrew Jackson, 2nd, son of Daniel, Jr. and Caroline (Marshall) Wallace. Died October 28, 1868, age 30 years, 4 months, 25 days.

"None knew him but to love him,
None named him but to praise."

"Faith, Hope and Charity."

(Borodino.)

Helen M., daughter of Daniel, Jr. and Caroline (Marshall) Wallace. Died August 19, 1832, age 4 years, 11 months.

(Borodino.)

Napoleon Bonaparte, (son of Daniel, Jr., and Caroline Wallace).

A member of Company "F," 13th Regt., N. Y. Vols. Inft., and Sergeant, Company "B," 15th Regt., N. Y. Vol. Cav. Born 1829, died 1878.

(He died in Skaneateles, N. Y.; by his wife Harriet D. Redway he had two children: Hypatia and Florence Wallace.)

(Borodino.)

Harriet D. (Redway), wife of Napoleon Bonaparte Wallace. Born 1841, died 1894.

(Borodino.)

Amanda (Wheeler), wife of Charles Wallace. Died September 11, 1844, age 33 years, 1 month.

(Charles Wallace was a son of Daniel and Mary (Low) Wallace; he is also deceased and buried in this cemetery. (No stone.)

(Borodino.)

Morgan Wallace, son of Ichabod and Laura (Havens) Wallace. Died June 9, 1891, age 28 years.

(Ichabod Wallace, son of William and Amelia (Eddy) Wallace, and grandson of Daniel and Mary (Low) Wallace, married Laura Havens, daughter of Ebenezer and Laura (Pettis) Havens, and by her had one son, Morgan Wallace, married Flora B. Havens, widow. Ichabod Wal-

lace is also deceased and buried in this cemetery. (No stone.)

(Borodino.)

Flora B. Havens, wife of Morgan Wallace.
(Living in 1899.)

(Borodino.)

“Our Josephine.” “Gone Home.”

Mary Josephine, daughter of William and Maria (Briggs) Wallace. Died April 23, 1866, age 21 years, 7 months, 18 days.

(William Wallace was born in the North of Ireland, and came to this country with his cousin, John Wallace, and first settled in Cambridge, Washington County, N. Y. He and John came to this town from the latter place, about May 10, 1836, and settled first on the Dakin Fisher farm, on Lot 11, Tully. He married Maria Briggs, and after the death of his daughter, Josephine, he and his wife moved to Michigan and left no descendants here.)

(Borodino.)

John Wallace. Born May 22, 1811, died May 24, 1893.

(He was born in the North of Ireland, and came to this country when a boy, and first settled in Cambridge, Washington County, N. Y., and from there came to this town, with his cousin William Wallace, and purchased the Dakin Fisher farm on the East Side Hill, on Lot 11, Tully, May 10, 1836. He married (1) Mercy R. Woodworth, daughter of James and Hannah (Fish) Woodworth, and (2) Cornelia M. Barker, daughter of Darius and Mary (Cooper) Barker and widow of George W. Lyon.

By his last wife he had no issue, but by the first he had: Marion, married George Bishop, resides in Otisco, N. Y.; John Irving, married (1) Julia Thompson, and (2) Eva Donaldson, resided in Jackson, Minnesota; Hannah, born April 16, 1845, died November 11, 1846; Helen M., married Miles Thompson, resided in Clarence, Mo.; Lillian, born February 26, 1856, died November 16, 1865; Lucas, born April 24, 1851, died February 13, 1880, unmarried; Hannah 2nd, married Jay Grout, son of John Grout, Jr., died in Iowa, (leaving two children: Carlton John, and Lillian Hannah Grout of Rock Rapids, Iowa); James, married Deborah Hurd, daughter of Charles and Charlotte (Brown) Hurd, resides in Spafford, N. Y.; Hugh M., resides

in Selegman, Missouri; and Eureka, married Earl Hazzard and resides in Homer, N. Y. Mr. Wallace for a short time resided in Otisco, N. Y., and part of his children were born there, the balance in this town. His widow still (1899) resides in Spafford.)

(Spafford.)

Among the brothers and sisters of John Wallace, who came to this country from Ireland, were: Robert, resided in Cattaraugus Co., N. Y.; Nancy, married Robert Nesbit, she died in this town, leaving descendants here; Matilda, married Alexander Gordon, she resides in this town with her son-in-law, Lyman C. Bennett, (died 1900); and Jane, married Robert O'Neil, resided in Michigan, (Uriah Roundy thinks the latter married John Faris instead of Robert O'Neil.)

Mercy R. (Woodworth), wife of John Wallace. Born June 22, 1822, died August 7, 1865.

(Spafford.)

Hannah, born April 16, 1845, died November 11, 1846.

Lillian, born February 26, 1856, died November 16, 1865.

Lucas, born April 24, 1851, died February 13, 1880.

Children of John and Mercy R. (Woodworth) Wallace.

(Spafford.)

WALKER.

Rhoda Walker. Died June 2, 1842, age 88 years.

(Stanton Yard.)

WATSON.

Jennett, wife of George R. Watson. Died November 29, 1850, age 52 years, 7 months.

(George R. Watson was a Scotchman, and a weaver by trade; he married (1) Jennett ——— and (2) Elsie Peck, daughter of Samuel Peck.)

(Borodino.)

WAINE.

John Waine. Died October 19, 1848, age 48 years.

(Thorn Hill.)

WALCH.

Mary, wife of John Walch. Died November 26, 1837, age 57 years, 4 months, 20 days.

(Thorn Hill.)

WEBSTER.

Mary, wife of William Webster. Died March 10, 1868, age 85 years.

(William Webster and his wife Mary were born in Ireland; after the decease of her husband in the old country, Mrs. Webster came here with her son, Edward Webster, who married Betsey Alvord, and settled in Cold Brook, where she died. Mr. and Mrs. Webster had a daughter, Sarah A. Webster, who married Thomas Alvord, a brother of Edward Webster's wife.)

(Cold Brook.)

WELLINGTON.

Sarah A., wife of Nathaniel Wellington. Died April 10, 1853, age 56 years.

(Cold Brook.)

Charles, son of Nathaniel and Sarah A. Wellington. Died February 26, 1840, age 11 years, 9 months, 15 days.

(Cold Brook.)

Theodore A., son of Acil T. and Polly C. Wellington. Died August 17, 1839, age 1 year, 11 days.

(Cold Brook.)

Helen. Died February 11, 1846, age 3 years.

Henriett. Died March 6, 1846, age 1 year.

Children of Acil T. and Polly C. Wellington.

(Cold Brook.)

WESTON.

Edmund C. Weston, (son of James and Ruth (Lincoln) Weston). Died August 23, 1874, age 76 years.

(Edmund C. Weston was born July 15, 1798, in Portland, Me., and came with his parents at an early age to Smithfield, Madison County, N. Y. He was a clothier by trade, and came to this town and purchased an interest in the Clothing, Fulling and Carding works located in Factory Gulf, on the Skaneateles and Homer road, on Lot 74, Marcellus. Here he met and married Clorinda Rathbone, daughter of James and Margaret (Ashley) Rathbone, and by her had the following children, all born in this town: Edward, born June 9, 1822, died July 7, 1853, married Ulyssa Earl, daughter of William and Polly (Pitts) Earl, both dead; James R.,

born April 24, 1824, married Delight Clark, daughter of Zoroaster Clark of Scott, N. Y., he was a physician and surgeon, President of a bank in Townsend, in Montana, where he resides, also Probate Judge; Harriet C., born February 5, 1827, married Cyrus Lyon, resides in Borodino, N. Y.; Henry, born August 3, 1830, married Sarah Earl, daughter of William and Polly (Pitts) Earl, he died January 28, 1897, and wife resides in Borodino, N. Y., no issue; and Daniel W., born February 10, 1834, died September 8, 1898, married Sarah A. Briggs, who died March 19, 1890, both buried at Soule Cemetery, Sennett, N. Y. (One child, Mrs. W. D. Seaman.)

(Borodino.)

Clorinda A. Rathbone, wife of Edmund C. Weston. Died June 19, 1883, age 85 years, 10 months.

(She was born in Pittsfield, Mass., August 14, 1797.)

(Borodino.)

Henry Weston, (son of Edmund C. and Clorinda A. (Rathbone) Weston). Born August 3, 1830, died January 28, 1897.

(He was a farmer by occupation; had been Supervisor of the town.)

(Borodino.)

Sarah Earl, wife of Henry Weston. Born in 1830, still living in 1899.

(Borodino.)

Edward Weston (son of Edmund C. and Clorinda A. (Rathbone) Weston). Died July 7, 1853, age 31 years, 28 days.

(Thorn Hill.)

Ulyssa (Earl), wife of Edward Weston. Died January 28, 1869, age 40 years.

(Thorn Hill.)

William Weston, (son of Edward and Ulyssa (Earl) Weston). Died April 16, 1854, age 2 years.

(Thorn Hill.)

Edward Weston, Jr., (son of Edward and Ulyssa (Earl) Weston). Born December 19, 1853, died May 8, 1872.

(Thorn Hill.)

James Weston of Portland, Me., married (1) Ruth Lincoln, and moved to Smithfield, Madison County, N. Y., where he married for a second wife, Lois Fish; by his first

wife he had: John, married Jane Hillebert, daughter of John C. Hillebert of Borodino, N. Y., he died in Michigan; Edmund C., married Clorinda A. Rathbone, daughter of James and Margaret (Ashley) Rathbone; and Lydia, married Gilbert Vanderhoof, she died in Illinois; and by his second wife, James Weston had: Stephen, and James, both of whom married and went West.

WHALEY.

Mr. Charles Whaley. Died July 26, 1834, age 64 years, 8 months.

(Spafford.)

WHEELER.

Julia Amelia, daughter of Orrin and Mary Ann Wheeler. Died September 27, 1855, age 6 years, 3 months, 19 days.

“This lovely bud was nipped so soon,
To rise and bloom beyond the tomb.”

(Orrin Wheeler was a pedler; he died in the War of 1861, and his widow, Mary Ann Wheeler, was accidentally killed by falling off the hotel steps at Glen Haven, N. Y. Mr. Wheeler's children were: John, married a Miss Lawrence; Mary, married (1) a Mr. Manley and (2) a Mr. Fuller of Homer, N. Y.; Charles, married in Michigan, and returned to Spafford where he now resides; and Carrie, married and resides in Binghamton, N. Y.)

(Cold Brook.)

WHITING.

Ira B., son of Thomas and Esther Whiting. Died August 10, 1830, in the 27th year of his age.

(He died of smallpox, unmarried. Thomas and Esther Whiting had the following children: Thomas S., married Polly Crane; Esther, married Russel M. Burdick; Ansel, married a Miss Nancy Burdick; Ira B., died unmarried; Arlo, married and moved to Michigan; Eliza; Harriet, and Lovina, married Joel Nash, the latter was the mother of Avery Burdick's wife, Eugenia Jane Nash. Mr. Whiting resided where Edwin Morris now (1899) resides on Lot 31, Tully.)

(Cold Brook.)

WHITNEY.

Clorinda, wife of William B. Whitney. Died May 23, 1854, age 71 years.

(Spafford Hollow.)

WILBER.

James B. Wilber, son of William T. and Olive (Orton) Wilber. A member of company "B," 15th Regt., N. Y. Cav. Vols. Died August 3, 1870, age 26 years.

(William T. Wilber married Olive Orton, daughter of Zenas and Sally Orton.)

(Borodino.)

WILCOX.

Matilda Wilcox. Died March 29, 1852, age 20 years, 4 months, 20 days.

(Spafford Hollow.)

WILLIAMS.

Abigail Williams. Died April 11, 1891, in her 71st year.

(She was the mother of Jane Williams, wife of Jeremiah W. Nodine, Jr.)

(Cold Brook.)

Louisa, daughter of John and Catherine Williams. Died June 22, 1855, age 18 years, 9 months.

(Borodino.)

WILLIAMSON.

"Our Father," Cornelius Williamson. Died December 30, 1858, age 78 years.

(He married Eliza Ostrander, and by her had the following children: Aaron, died unmarried; Henry, died unmarried; Maria, married Nathan Raymond; Eliza, married Thaddeus Dunbar as his second wife; Hannah, married Dr. Zachariah Derbyshire as his second wife; Mary Jane, married Joseph Harmon, both dead; Nancy, married Peter Ostrander; and Catherine, married Charles Bartow of Earlville, Madison County, N. Y.)

(Spafford.)

"Our Mother," Eliza Ostrander, wife of Cornelius Williamson. Died December 11, 1864, age 82 years.

(Spafford.)

Eliza, daughter of Cornelius and Eliza (Ostrander) Williamson. Died March 18, 1853, age 35 years.

(She married Thaddeus Dunbar as his second wife.)

(Spafford.)

Aaron Williamson, (son of Cornelius and Eliza (Ostrander) Williamson). Died February 23, 1867, age 60 years.

(In the petition for letters of administration upon his estate, by Mary Harmon, his sister, dated February 28, 1867, mention is made of the following sisters: Catherine Bartow of Earlville, N. Y.; and Mary Harmon of Spafford, N. Y.; and the following nephews and nieces: John H. Ostrander of Tully, N. Y., child of his deceased sister, Nancy Ostrander; John W. Raymond of Rockville, Kankakee Co., Illinois; Aaron Raymond of Oseo, Hillsdale County, Mich.; and Eliza Benschoten, residence unknown, children of Maria Raymond, a deceased sister; all of full age, except John H. Ostrander, a minor.)

(Spafford.)

Henry Williamson, (son of Cornelius and Eliza (Ostrander) Williamson). Died March 7, 1834, age 22 years.

(Spafford.)

James Williamson, Jr. Died February 1, 1833, age 60 years, 19 days.

(Mr. Williamson came to this town from Minden, Montgomery County, N. Y., about April, 1806, and settled on a farm of 193 acres, on the northeast corner of Lot 12, Tully. In the petition for letters of administration upon his estate, made by his wife Hannah Williamson, dated February 12, 1833, mention is made of the following children: Charles, married Charlotte —, resided in Grant County, Wis.; Jonathan, married Esther —, resided in Italy, Yates County, N. Y., and subsequently in Parma, Ohio; Catherine, married Samuel Boutelle, of Spafford Hollow, N. Y.; Hannah, married Thomas Andrews of Potter, Yates County, N. Y.; Barber, died unmarried; Jane, married Orasmus C. Hutchison of Willoughby, Ohio; Richard, married Miss Van Hoosen of Preble, N. Y.; Calvin, married Miss Jacobs of Spafford, N. Y.; Harriet, died unmarried; Esther, married James V. Skellie, son of William I. and Betsey (Boughton) Skellie, she died and was buried in Scott, N. Y.; and James R., married Charity Rainey.)

(Spafford Hollow.)

Hannah, wife of James Williamson, Jr. Died March 29, 1857, age 74 years.

(Spafford Hollow.)

James B. Williamson, (son of James, Jr., and Hannah Williamson). Died May 31, 1830, age 30 years, 8 months, 10 days.

(His wife, Charity Rainey, after his decease married Peter Churchell as his second wife.)

(Spafford Hollow.)

Barber Williamson (son of James, Jr. and Hannah Williamson). Died October 25, 1857, age 46 years.

(Spafford Hollow.)

Harriet Williamson, (daughter of James, Jr. and Hannah Williamson). Died May 16, 1861, age 38 years, 19 days.

(Spafford Hollow.)

WILLIS.

George H. Willis, son of John and Mary Ann Willis. Died August 31, 1864, age 1 year, 6 months.

(Mr. and Mrs. Willis were from Tully, N. Y.)

(Spafford Hollow.)

Frederick W. Willis, son of John and Mary Ann Willis. Died June 5, 1864, age 1 week.

(Spafford Hollow.)

WILTSIE.

John Wiltsie, died August 24, 1852, age 84 years.

(Thorn Hill.)

Mary, wife of John Wiltsie, died August 19, 1845, age 75 years.

(It is claimed that John and Mary Wiltsie were the common ancestors of all of that name in town.)

(Thorn Hill.)

WINCHESTER.

Ann W. (Berry), (wife of ——— Winchester). Died January 10, 1849, age 44 years.

(She was a daughter of Jonathan and Thankful Berry.)

(Borodino.)

WIRTH.

Jennie F., daughter of Henry and Ellen (Moore) Wirth. Died November 10, 1881, age 1 year, 8 months, 18 days.

"Budded on Earth to blossom in Heaven."

(Henry Wirth was a native of Switzerland, and his wife Ellen Moore, daughter of Joseph Moore, was a native of England.)

(Borodino.)

WOOD.

Mary, daughter of Peter and Helen (Van Hoosen) Wood. Died October 15, 1868, age 3 years, 7 days.

(Peter Wood, son of Cyrus Wood, married Helen Van Hoosen of Scott, N. Y.)

(Borodino.)

Lydia, wife of Orry Wood. Died May 24, 1826, age 29 years.

(By his wife Lydia, Mr. Wood had no issue; after her decease he married Rebecca Copp of this town, and moved to Chautauqua, N. Y., where he left issue by his second wife.)

(Thorn Hill.)

Harriet (Stevens), wife of Warren Wood. Died October 7, 1838, age 26 years, 6 months.

(Jonas Wood, the father of Warren, came at an early date from Milton, Saratoga County, N. Y., first to Skaneateles, and soon after settled on a farm between Amber and Navarino, then in Marcellus, now Otisco, where he remained until his decease; he had a large family; most of whom were sons, who like their father, were tailors by trade. His wife was Elizabeth Easton, by whom he had: Charles, he was a soldier in the War of 1812, and died in Marcellus, unmarried; Stephen, died young; Warren, married (1) Harriet Stevens and (2) Henrietta Van Hosen, moved to Clinton, Michigan, where he died; Himaaz, married Mary Salmon of Onondaga, he died in Marcellus and his wife out West; Caroline, married Martin Christler, both died in Sumpter, Mich.; Ann Eliza (twin), married James Benham and died in Bridgewater, Mich.; twin of Eliza, died young; Seymour N., married Lizana Roundy, daughter of Capt. Asahel and Hannah (Weston) Roundy, he died in Syracuse, and his

wife in 1899 resided in Onondaga Valley, N. Y.; Stephen C. (2nd), married Ursula Whiting, wife and he both dead; Marcus, married Caroline ———, he died in Clinton, Mich.; Cornell J., married (1) Sarah Carter, and (2) Sarah Easton, member of Company "H," 149th Regt., N. Y. Vols. Inft., lost a leg at the Battle of Chancellorsville, Va., resides in Brewertown, N. Y. There were one or two more, making thirteen in all, who died young.)

(Borodino.)

WOODWORTH.

James Woodworth. Died October 11, 1858, age 79 years, 11 months, 17 days.

"He sweetly sang on Earth,
Now sings in Heaven."

(He was a native of Connecticut and first settled in Mayfield, Fulton County, N. Y.; from there he came to this town about 1820, and settled on Lot 23, Sempronius. By his wife Hannah Fish, he had the following children: Joel C., married Sarah Eadie, daughter of James and Martha (Smith) Eadie; Jonathan F., married Emma Legg, daughter Capt. Otis and Polly (Sabin) Legg, and widow of Truman Cross; and Mercy R., married John Wallace, both dead.)

(Spafford.)

Hannah (Fish), wife of James Woodworth. Died March 28, 1850, age 72 years.

(Spafford.)

Joel C. Woodworth, (son of James and Hannah (Fish) Woodworth). Died December 1, 1873, age 65 years, 5 months, 5 days.

(He was born in Mayfield, Fulton County, N. Y., in 1808; by his wife Sarah Eadie he had: Cyrenus, married Charlotte Norton, daughter of Seymour and Sally (Lyman) Norton, farmer and surveyor, resides in Spafford, N. Y.; Perry F., married Martha Norton, daughter of Seymour and Sally (Lyman) Norton, was member of the 122nd Regt., N. Y. Vols. Inft., War of 1861, farmer, has been Supervisor of the town, and held other minor town offices, resides in Spafford, N. Y.; Arlo, married (1) Emma Bacon, daughter of William and Phebe (Isdell) Bacon, first wife dead, (2) Helen Norton, daughter of Erastus and Mary (Isdell) Nor-

ton, and widow of Wallace Gordon, he resides in Spafford, N. Y.; Justina, married Charles Rich of Borodino, N. Y.; Vestilina E., married Alfred G. Harrington, son of Jenks Harrington, resides in Spafford, N. Y.; Elizabeth M., married George Case; Hannah Martha, married James Bacon, son of William and Phebe (Isdell) Bacon; and James Irwin, and James Henry, each of whom died young.)

(Spafford.)

Sarah (Eadie), wife of Joel C. Woodworth. Died June 17, 1884, age 75 years, 9 months, 15 days.

(She was born in Rensselaerville, Rensselaer County, N. Y., in 1808.)

(Spafford.)

James Irwin, died September 13, 1840, age 3 years, 11 months, 26 days.

James Henry. Died May 16, 1843.

Sons of Joel C. and Sarah (Eadie) Woodworth.

(Spafford.)

Joel C., son of Perry F. and Martha (Norton) Woodworth. Died October 10, 1879, age 5 years, 9 months, 10 days.

“Our Darling Boy.”

(By his wife, Martha Norton, Mr. Woodworth had two children besides those here recorded: Gertrude I., a teacher and graduate of Cortland Normal School; and Olin F., who resides at home in Spafford, N. Y.)

(Spafford.)

Lucretia E., daughter of Perry F. and Martha (Norton) Woodworth. Died October 1, 1879, age 12 years, 9 months, 17 days.

“Rest in Peace.”

(Spafford.)

Emma (Bacon), wife of Arlo Woodworth. Born in 1851, died in 1894.

(Spafford.)

Leona. Born 1875, died 1887.

Phebe. Born 1878, died 1882.

Daughters of Arlo and Emma (Bacon) Woodworth.

“We miss thee.”

(Spafford.)

Ambrose, son of Elias and Deidamia (Bassett) Woodworth. Died September 16, 1829, age 21 years, 10 months, 24 days.

(Mr. and Mrs. Woodworth resided at one time near the Center, but eventually moved out of town. Besides Ambrose they had three other sons: Enos, he moved to Michigan; Henry, died here unmarried; Elias, Jr.; and one daughter, Esther, who married Jonathan Johnson, both died here.)

(Nunnery.)

WORDEN.

Truman Worden. Died May 22, 1876, age 68 years.

(He came to this town from Victory, N. Y., and married Phebe Harrington, daughter of John and Catherine Harrington, and by her had two children: Frances, married Uriah Morris, son of Samuel and Jane (Springer) Morris, resides at Glen Haven; and Walter, married Margaret Wood, daughter of Cyrus Wood, resides at Spafford, N. Y.

Walter Worden, (son of Truman), by his wife Margaret Wood had five children: Alvin, married Adelle Randall, died in Syracuse, N. Y.; Alice, married William C. Randall, resides in Spafford, N. Y.; Fannie, married Frank Randall, resides in Spafford, N. Y. (the three Randalls above were children of Nathan and Mary (Wadsworth) Randall); Oliver, died unmarried; and Dora, married John Brown, son of William Brown. Mrs. Worden is also deceased and buried in this cemetery.)

(Spafford.)

Phebe (Harrington, wife of Truman Worden. Died December 27, 1887, age 76 years.

“Dearest names to mortals given

Is Father, Mother, Home and Heaven.”

(Her father and mother came from Foster, R. I.)

(Spafford.)

WORTHINGTON.

Stephen Worthington. Died February 3, 1830, age 33 years.

(Spafford Hollow.)

YORK.

John York. Died May 28, 1892, age 73 years.

(Mr. York's first wife was Sarah A. Clark. In his will dated April 30, 1891, probated July 6, 1892, he mentions a second wife, Leleah York, against whom he obtained a divorce, December 6, 1882, and who was then living under the name of Leleah Adlam, and her child May Adlam, then 10 years old; he also mentions: Mary A. Cook, and Lucinda Gamble, whom he made executrixes, and a son, John York, then a minor residing with Stephen Masters, this last John was probably John 2nd, he having lost a son John, who died in 1871, age 13 years.

(Spafford Hollow.)

Sarah A. Clark, wife of John York. Died August 12, 1874, age 43 years.

(Spafford Hollow.)

John, son of John and Sarah Ann (Clark) York. Died November 29, 1871, age 13 years.

(Spafford Hollow.)

William York. Died May 29, 1881, age 58 years.

(His first wife was Elizabeth York; in his will dated May 24, 1881, probated July 16, 1881, he mentions his second wife, Sarah Ann York, and his children: William Henry, then of Marcellus, N. Y.; George Seymour, Fanny J., and Lydia York, each residing in Spafford, N. Y., and all of full age, except George Seymour York, who was then a minor.)

(Spafford Hollow.)

Elizabeth, wife of William York. Died November 5, 1865, age 33 years.

(Spafford Hollow.)

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